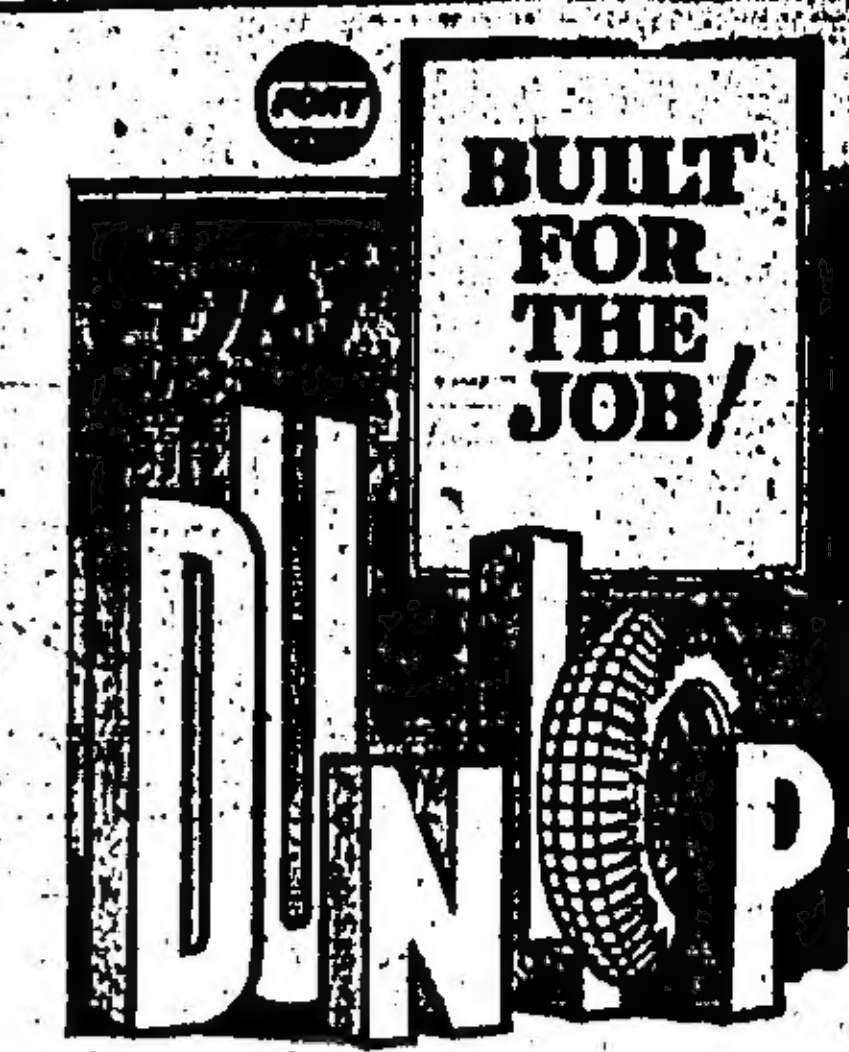


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OFFICIAL ATTACK ON MODERN CHINA FASHIONS

SLIT SKIRT ROUNDLY CONDEMNED

NEW REGULATION DEMANDED

C.P.C. MEMBER SUBMITS PROPOSALS

LIMBS MUST BE COVERED

(Telegraph Special.)

Shanghai, Sept. 23.

Alarm, mingled with amusement, has been created in fashionable Chinese circles by startling proposals for the regulation of women's fashions in China.

The proposal has already been submitted to the Central Political Council and it is sponsored by one of the most venerable members of the Council, Mr. Chen Chao-ying, who has been a member of the Legislative Yuan since 1928.

Mr. Chen Chao-ying is vigorous in his condemnation of the modern trend in women's fashions. He is particularly severe on sleeveless frocks, short skirts and "panties" and is horrified beyond words by the "slit skirt" fashion, which has been a particularly noticeable feature of Chinese women's garments this year.

CURBING NECESSARY.

In submitting his proposals to the Central Political Council, Mr. Chen says that his objective is two-fold. In the first place he desires to encourage by every means the use of homespun cloth, and secondly, he feels the time has come when an effort should be made to curb certain "indecent" tendencies.

He advocates "uniformity in dress" and says that he must insist upon the principle that "limbs should be properly covered."

It is learned that the Executive Yuan is considering the proposal.

CONSTERNATION.

As may easily be understood, the thought that an attack is to be launched upon their fashions has caused consternation among the moderns in Shanghai, where the type of garment most severely criticised by Mr. Chen is worn almost universally.

Among foreigners, the latest Chinese women's fashions are regarded as highly attractive and becoming, though there are, naturally, some extreme cases.

The decision of the Government will be awaited with considerable interest.

The attack by Mr. Chen Chao-ying reveals him as one of the old school of thought, and the remarks about his proposal among the younger members of the gentler sex are not particularly complimentary.—*Reuter*.

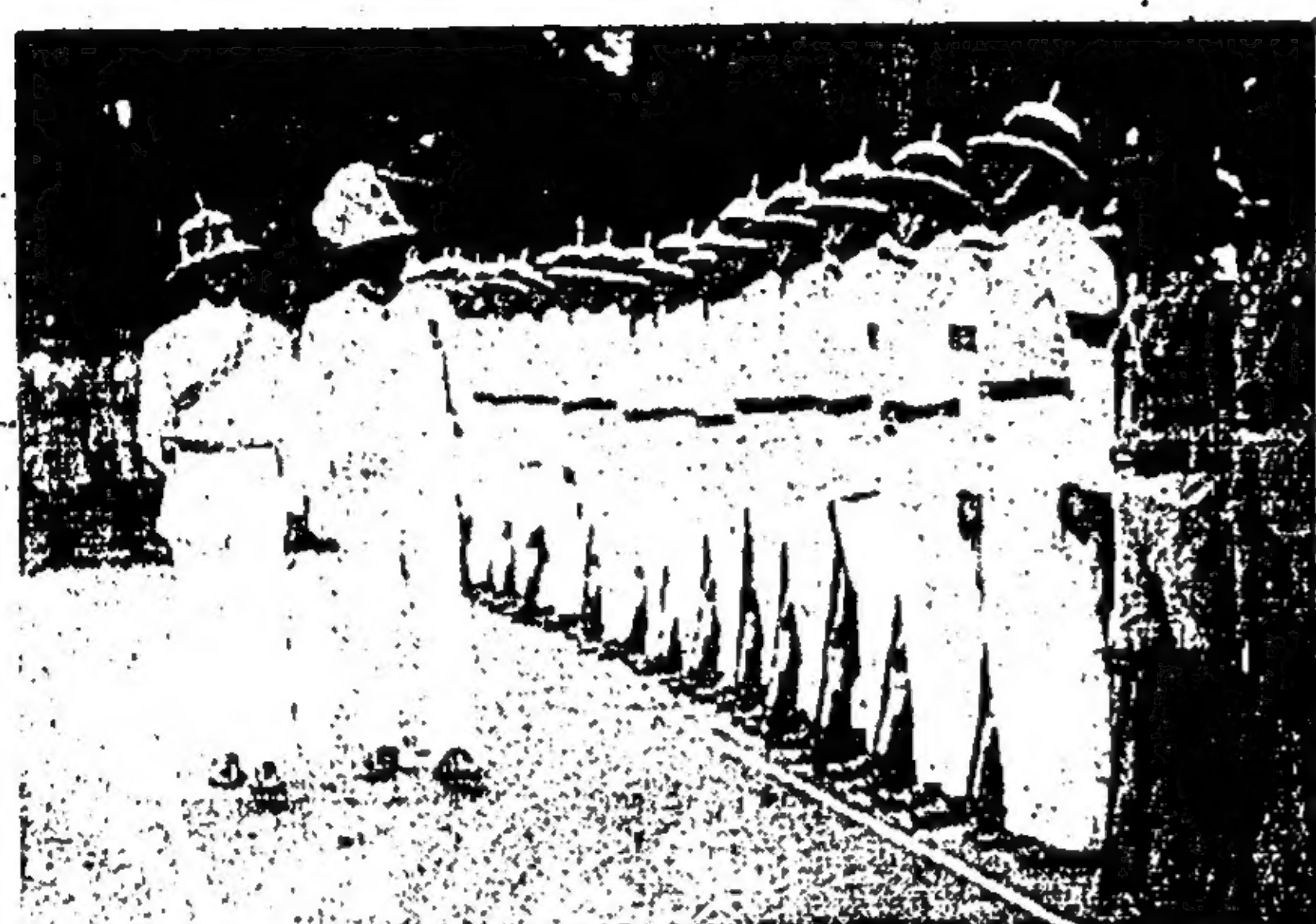
BRITISH VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTH RATE SHOWS AN INCREASE

London, Sept. 22.

The birth rate, which had been on the decline in Britain, shows an increase in the returns issued by the Registrar-General for the quarter ended June 30th.

There were, in that period, 105,456 births in England and Wales, 1,690 more than in the corresponding quarter last year, which corresponds to an annual rate of 19.6 per thousand.



His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G.) inspecting the Hongkong Police Force yesterday. He is accompanied by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police. (Photo: A. Fong.)

SUN FO LEAVES FOR NORTH

DENIES POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE

RUMOURS OF GOVT. APPOINTMENT

Mr. Sun Fo and General Chang Wei-chung, former Air Commander in Canton, left aboard the Empress of Canada this morning for Shanghai.

Although Mr. Sun Fo denied that political significance attached to his departure from Hongkong, persistent rumours are current that he is about to accept an important post with the Nanking Government.

Mr. Sun Fo served as President of the Executive Yuan before Mr. Wang Ching-wei and at one time was Minister of Railways.

In a statement, Mr. Sun Fo predicted strong action by the signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty in the event of a failure of the League Council to deal adequately with the Manchuria problem. China would become the centre of a war between Japan and China, in which case Japan would ultimately come out the loser with results disastrous to her.

Commenting on the *Neus Chronique's* message from Geneva reporting a change of the French attitude towards the Sino-Japanese dispute, Mr. Sun Fo said this was the best news from Geneva for some time.

BRITAIN OFFERS NAVAL CUTS

IN TOUCH WITH OTHER POWERS

London, Sept. 22.

At the meeting of the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference at Geneva this evening, Sir John Simon said that comprehensive proposals made on the subject of Naval Disarmament had been carefully examined by the British Government, which had established contact with the other great Powers on the matter. He had reason to hope that it might be possible in the near future to initiate an exchange of views.—*British Wireless*.

NO BUS STRIKE IN LONDON

NEW TERMS FINALLY ACCEPTED

London, Sept. 23.

There will be no bus strike in London to-morrow. The busmen have declared for peace, though the majority was by no means overwhelming.

The delegate conference last night accepted the company's new terms by 38 votes to 21. The terms do not involve any reduction in salaries, but concern modification of working hours.

PRINCE FLIES THROUGH A GALE

BY AIR-LINER TO COPENHAGEN

BRIEF LANDING IN GERMANY

London, Sept. 22.

The Prince of Wales, with his suite in the Imperial Airways liner "Heracles", reached Copenhagen safely at 6.18 this evening.

During the latter part of the journey, the air liner had been escorted by fifteen Danish naval and military aircraft.

The Prince was the first to leave the air-liner and was immediately greeted by the Crown Prince Frederik. Other members of the Danish Royal Family and many distinguished figures in Danish public life, together with the British Minister, Sir Thomas Høhler, and other officials were present.

BAD WEATHER.

The Prince received also a most enthusiastic greeting from a crowd of many thousands assembled at Kastrup Aerodrome.

Weather conditions had somewhat retarded the Prince's arrival. After leaving Croydon this morning, strong headwinds reaching gale force had been encountered over the Channel and this made the journey longer than expected.

The liner landed at Amsterdam, where the Prince had a light lunch before the journey was continued to Hamburg, where he arrived landed for a short while. It was the first occasion on which the Prince had set foot on German soil since the war.

GREAT CROWDS.

Most of the members of the British Colony were among the great crowd assembled at the aerodrome to greet him.

After a forty minutes' halt, the giant plane set off on the last stage of the flight. The Prince is expected to remain at Copenhagen for about a week and will pay, during this time, a private visit to the King and Queen of Denmark.

When he opens the British Exhibition on Saturday, he will be accompanied by the Crown Prince of Denmark. At the end of the month, the Prince will pay his first visit to Stockholm and will be the guest of the King and Queen of Sweden.—*British Wireless*.

OCCASIONAL RAIN

The Royal Observatory reports that a weak anticyclone is situated to the north of the Yangtze. The weather will be a succession of

FRESH RIOTING IN LIVERPOOL

FLYING SQUAD PELTED WITH MISSILES

SEVERAL INJURED

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

London, Sept. 22.

FRESH OUTBREAKS OF RIOTING OCCURRED IN LIVERPOOL THIS AFTERNOON. THE UNEMPLOYED ARE IN AN UGLY MOOD FOLLOWING A SERIES OF CLASHES WITH THE POLICE AND DEMONSTRATIONS ARE FREQUENT.

The most serious incident of the day occurred in the late afternoon when a crowd of about a thousand gathered in one of Liverpool's principal streets and waving red flags and banners attacking the police, commenced a protest meeting, holding up all traffic.

A large force of police were quickly on the scene and the leaders were informed that they would be charged unless they dispersed within ten minutes. The unemployed stubbornly refused to disperse.

RIOTERS PREPARED FOR FIGHT

Fresh police reinforcements were rushed up on motor-cycle combinations, at which stage it became evident that the unemployed had come prepared for a struggle with the police. The members of the Flying Squad were immediately met with a fusillade of missiles and a number of them were struck and cut with stones.

A series of baton charges were made and the demonstration was broken up. In the course of some sharp scrimmages, several of the rioters were injured about the head.—*Reuter*.

SIR ROBERT HO TUNG HONOURED IN GERMANY

President Confers Red Cross

(Telegraph Special.)

Berlin, Sept. 22.

Sir Robert Ho Tung, whose tour of Europe is coming to a close, was honoured by the aged President Hindenburg at the Presidential Palace to-day. Sir Robert and the President engaged in a long talk.

The German Red Cross (First Class) the highest decoration in Germany, has been conferred upon Sir Robert, who to-day also interviewed Captain von Papen, the Chancellor of the Reich.

Later, Sir Robert was entertained at the Foreign Office. Numerous leading bankers, industrialists and educationalists were also present.

The well-known Hongkong magnate was only recently made an Officer of the Legion of Honour in Paris, where he was received by the French Foreign Office and had interesting conversations with M. Herriot and M. Leger.

AUSTRALIAN CABINET BREACH

MR. C. A. S. HAWKER RESIGNS

ECONOMY PLANS

(Special to Telegraph)

FOREIGNERS FORCED TO FLEE

HAN MENACING LAICHOW

HEAVY FIGHTING

Chefoo, Sept. 23.

All foreign residents of Laichow, on the Shantung Peninsula, have been compelled to take flight to Chefoo owing to fighting between Han Fu-chu and Liu Chen-nien.

General Han Fu-chu's apparent object is to maintain his left flank from Laichow to the sea, meanwhile attempting an encircling movement on the right flank beyond Pingtu.

General Han's eastern forces are reported to be operating via Taimo, and are said to be approaching the fork of the Wulung River, facing General Liu's southern Laiyang front.

It is reported that fighting is taking place on both the Laichow and the Laiyang fronts.—*Reuter*.

VON GRONAU OFF AGAIN

Tokyo, Sept. 23.

The German airman, von Gronau, who is flying round the world in a Junkers flyingboat, took off from Kagoshima for Shanghai at 8.50 a.m. to-day.—*Reuter*.

Government's economy programme.

Because the Government has declined to agree to a reduction in Parliamentary salaries, greater than twenty-five per cent, Mr. C. A. S. Hawker, the Minister of Commerce, has tendered his resignation. Parliament is now discussing



Crown Prince Michael.

BOY PRINCE IN DOVER

MICHAEL VISITS MOTHER

(Telegraph Special.)

London, Sept. 22.

The boy Crown Prince Michael of Rumania arrived at Dover to-day on a visit to his mother, the ex-Queen Helen, former wife of King Carol.

The visit is being made in accordance with the separation agreement between King Carol and ex-Queen Helen, which provides that the young Prince shall periodically visit his mother, but that she must not return to Rumania.

Prince Michael, who is 11 years of age, was for a time King of Rumania. He succeeded his grandfather in July, 1927, and remained King until the return to Rumania of his father, in June 1930.—*Reuter*.

THIRD DAY OF FAST

FATEFUL MEETING IN GAOL

GANDHI LIKELY TO ACCEPT NEW PLAN

Poona, Sept. 22.

The fateful conference on the Untouchables electorate question between Gandhi and the special committee of Caste Hindus and the Depressed Classes leaders, opened and adjourned after two hours.

The delegates, in a brief interview, stated that they had had a long and satisfactory heart-to-heart talk with Gandhi and hoped to return to-morrow with the final settlement.

DISPOSED TO APPROVE.

Gandhi, who has been removed to more convenient quarters in Yornvda Gaol, where he has his own physician in attendance seems disposed to approve the proposals for an agreed solution of the problem of representation in the legislatures of the Depressed Classes. The formula under discussion was drafted at the direction of the Bombay Conference of Caste Hindus and the leaders of the Depressed Classes.

High hopes are entertained that an agreement approved by Gandhi may be reached, which would justify the British Government in modifying the terms of the communal award in so far as it affects the Depressed Classes.

In this case Gandhi would presumably break his fast which is now in its third day.—*British Wireless*.

Threat of his arrest on a charge of

MACHRAY TRIAL

THEFT OF UNIVERSITY TRUST FUNDS

FOURTEEN YEARS' SENTENCE

Winnipeg, Sept. 22.

Mr. John Machray, a leading figure in Canadian educational and religious circles over a considerable number of years, to-day pleaded guilty to the theft of \$3900,000, from the funds of Manitoba University, and also of \$860,000 from his former law partner.

He was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude on each charge. Mr. Machray is suffering from cancer and is not expected to live for more than a few months. He is over sixty years of age.

Mr. Machray was highly respected in all circles until the sensational revelations of a few weeks ago. He was chairman of the Board of Governors and Bursar of the University of Manitoba, and he was also Chancellor of the Anglican Diocese of Rupert's Land.

The committee of the Anglican Church have discovered shortages in Church funds to the extent of over \$880,000, but it was decided not to prosecute.—*Reuter*.

DOLLAR REMAINS UNALTERED

IN SPITE OF RISE IN SILVER

Although silver is up both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar remains unaltered to-day at 1s. 4d. The local market is quiet, and there are expectations of possibly lower silver rates.

In London, silver rose 3/8th. China bought, while India operated both ways. The market closed steady. After the official fixing, the market ruled rather dull, with buyers satisfied.

New York reports silver up a quarter on an irregular market. Futures are down.

STOP PRESS.

THREAT TO ARREST MR. COSGRAVE

London, Sept. 23.

The Free State Government is contemplating the arrest of Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, the ex-President of Council, under the Public Safety Act, according to the *Morning Post*.

The journal says that in a speech last week, Mr. Cosgrave very scathingly criticised the Government's policy and this so infuriated the Government that following a Cabinet meeting presided over by Mr. Sean O'Kelly, in the absence of Mr. de Valera, an inspired article appeared in the official Government organ, the *Irish Press*, threatening Mr. Cosgrave with arrest if he persists in opposition to the Government's policy.

The article points out that the Public Safety Act passed by Mr. Cosgrave's Government is still in existence, although in a state of suspension and that the Government could bring it into operation by issuing a proclamation. Mr. Cosgrave could then be arrested and tried by military tribunal.

Mr. Cosgrave declares that only lack of courage prevents the Government from taking the threatened action and he will resist the attack as often as necessary.—*Reuter*.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

A play often overlooked by the
beginner at bridge is the sacrificing
of a trick in order to establish a
needed trick for game. It is illus-
trated perfectly in the hand given
below.

♠10-6	♠9-8-3
♥A-6-2	♥Q-J
♦A-9-7-6-2	♦K-Q-4
♣K-6-2	♣J-9-5
♠K-7-5	♠A-Q-J-4
♥8-4	♥K-9-5-3
♦10-5	♦J-8-3
♣Q-10-7-4-3	♣A-8

The Bidding

The contract bidding was South
one spade, West pass, North two no
trump. It is better to bid two no
trump with North's hand than to
show the weak five-card suit. East
passed, and South went to three no
trump.

The Play

East's four-card suit is hearts, and
as it is headed by three touching
honours, the top honour—the queen
of hearts—is opened. The declarer
should win the trick in his own hand
with the ace so as to be in a position
to establish the spades and at the
same time preserve the king and nine
of hearts in the dummy. The ten of
hearts is led by declarer and the
four spot played from dummy, West
winning the trick with the king.

West can see that it would be
foolhardy to return his partner's
suit, so he starts his own suit by
leading the four of clubs. North,
the declarer, must not make the
mistake of letting this club trick
ride to dummy's ace—he must win
it in his own hand with the king
and return the ace of hearts
immediately. When East plays the
ten, the declarer should play the five
of hearts from dummy so as to be in
a position to take the heart finesse
while still having control of all suits.
East would return the jack of clubs,
which is won in the dummy with the
ace. The three good cards tricks in
dummy are then cashed, declarer
discarding two diamonds and East
the four of diamonds.

The three of diamonds is played
from dummy and won by declarer
with the ace. Now the declarer
leads the deuce of hearts and when
East plays the seven, the nine is
played from dummy and then the
king of hearts. Declarer grants his
opponents the last two tricks, but
has made his contract of three, no
trump.

HUSBAND AND WIFE STABBED.

DOMESTIC QUARREL AT SHUMSHUPO

Her head severely gashed by
stabs from a table knife, Wong Kin
Wah, 26, now lies in the Kowloon
Hospital in a serious condition.
Cheung Sau Fong, 22, her husband
has also been admitted in Hospital
suffering from wounds on the
hands, said to have been inflicted
during a fight with his wife.

The stabbing occurred at 125,
Cheung Sha Wan Road, Shumshupo
where the couple have been living.
It is believed that jealousy was
the cause of the quarrel.

Detective Sergeant Goodwin of
the Shumshupo Station is in charge
of the case. The husband, whose
injuries are very slight is expected
to make an early appearance in the
Kowloon Court.

THE POLICE FORCE INSPECTION.

IMPOSING SPECTACLE IN COMPOUND

The compound at Police Head-
quarters yesterday afternoon
presented a colourful spectacle
when over two hundred members
of the Colony's Police Force
paraded for inspection by His
Excellency, The Officer Adminis-
trating the Government (Hon. Mr.
W. T. Southern).

After the inspection Mr.
Southern presented medals for
bravery, proficiency and muske-
try.

Among the visitors present
were Sir Shouson Chow, the Hon.
Mr. A. E. Wood, the Hon. Dr. S.
W. Ts'o, and the Hon. Mr. T. N.
Chau.

Mr. Southern's Address.

Addressing the assembled
police, His Excellency said:—
I should first like to congratu-
late you on the excellence of to-
day's parade which is a tribute to
the efficient training in drill of
the Police Force as a whole. But
drill, though, important, is not
everything and the many awards
presented to-day illustrate the
varied duties of the force and the
proficiency displayed in the ex-
ecution of those duties. I congratu-
late the winners of the awards
and trust they may be spurred to
further efforts and that non-win-
ners will emulate their example.

The past year was not an easy
one, and, apart from the criminal
elements we have always with us,
we had an unexpected outbreak of
lawlessness in the Anti-Japanese
disturbances of last summer. With
the willing assistance of the
Military Forces and of the Police
Reserve and of the District Watch
Force, the disturbances were
quickly terminated, though not
without much hard work and con-
siderable personal danger on the
part of those concerned.

I gratefully acknowledge the
good work put in by all ranks
during those trying days and
would further compliment the
Inspector General of Police on the
efficiency of the arrangements
which have prevented any recur-
descence of the trouble.

Especially would I like to pay
tribute to the work of the Police
Reserve, that willing band of
voluntary helpers who, under the
able leadership of Mr. Dudley
King, have been of such great
assistance to the Government in
all times of difficulty. Their work
during the actual disturbances
last year and their assistance in
precautionary measures this year,
particularly in the cases of the
Flying and Emergency Squads,
are very fully recognized both
by the Inspector General of
Police and by myself.

District Watch Force.

I also wish to acknowledge the
indebtedness of the Government
to the District Watch Force for
their very efficient help in the
maintenance of law and order.
Two members of this force have
to-day received medals for parti-
cularly good work. The work of
the force has proved specially
valuable in the prevention of traf-
ficking in women and children and
in the checking of communist ac-
tivities.

I noticed, in distributing the
awards that there were eleven
awards for proficiency in life-
saving, of which no less than nine
were won by Indian members of
the force. The importance of
proficiency in this humanitarian
side of police work cannot be
over-estimated. Every policeman
ought to be proficient in life-
saving, and the interest taken in
this work must be very gratifying
to the Inspector General of Police
and his instructors.

While congratulating the Indian
police on their success I should
like to express the hope that at
the next distribution of awards
for proficiency in life-saving we
shall find some Chinese names in-
cluded in the list along with yet
more Indian and European names.

Mr. King, I congratulate you
and the officers and men under

your command on another year
of excellent work.

The Awards.

The following were the awards:

First Class Medal.

Det. Insp. C. P. Fallon for an
excellent record of service in the
Criminal Investigation Department
and for special services during the
Anti-Japanese disturbances.

Second Class Medal.

Chief Detective Insp. A. N.
Reynolds for meritorious work in in-
vestigating the case of the murder
of a student named Tang Tai Kai,
which occurred on or about 18.2.32 at
Victoria Gap, The Peak.

Principal Chinese Detective Wong
Lau for long and faithful service al-
most entirely in the Criminal Investi-
gation Department.

Detective Leung Chi for zeal and
intelligence on the detective staff,
and for particularly good work
which led to the arrest and subse-
quent deportation of twenty dan-
gerous Communists.

3rd Class Medal.

Sergt. Kong Shu Hong for long and
faithful service.

Detective Wan Cheung for good
work on the detective staff, and par-
ticularly for obtaining valuable in-
formation concerning the activities
of traffickers in women and children.

4th Class Medal.

Acting Insp. J. McLellan for ex-
ceptionally good work as Divisional
Inspector in the New Territories.

Sub-Inspector A. H. Elston for ex-
ceptional services in the Criminal
Investigation Department and special
services during the Anti-Japanese
disturbances.

Sub-Inspector F. T. J. Portallion for
excellent work in connexion with the
organization of the Anti-Piracy
Guards (1930) and for special ser-
vices in the Guards Office.

Sub-Inspector A. E. Carey for ex-
cellent work and devotion to duty in
the suppression of Communist
activities.

Lance Sergt. T. R. Hunter, for ini-
tiative and resource in checking
Anti-Japanese disturbances in Hung
Hom on the 27th September, 1931.

Lance Sergt. Chan Shiu Ping for
excellent work in the Criminal Inves-
tigation Department.

Lance Sergt. Chan Pui for excel-
lent work in the Criminal Investi-
gation Department.

Lance Sergt. Ho Kam for con-
tinuous good work in the Traffic
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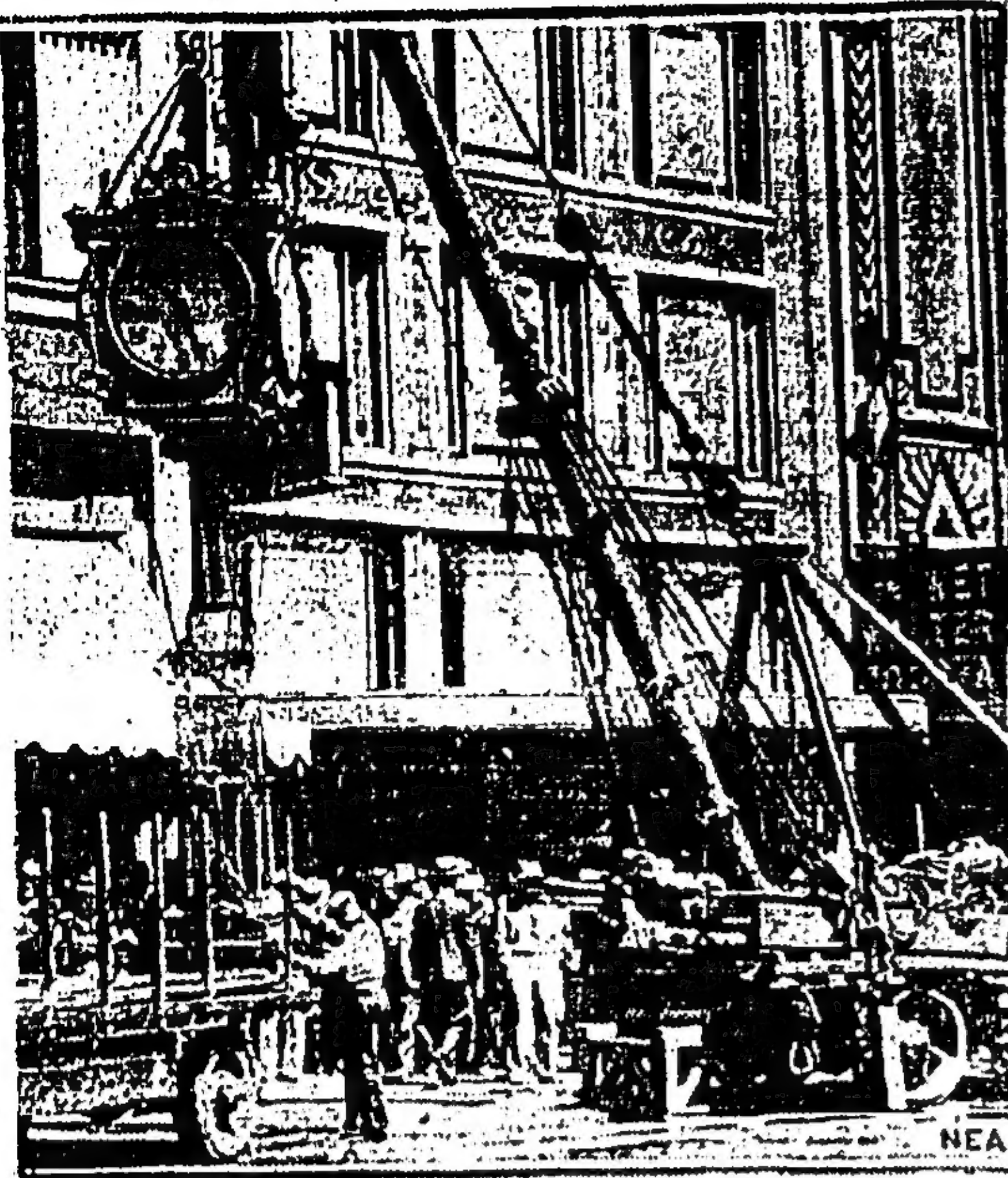
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The "Mooney alibi clock"—which figured in all the vain proceedings to secure the freedom of the man serving a life sentence for the San Francisco Preparedness Day bomb blast of 1918—has been removed from Market st., the jewellery firm maintaining the clock having gone out of business. Photographs taken from a roof across the street showed the Mooney on the roof, and the clock indicating a time five minutes before the explosion, which took place a mile away.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

By Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, married Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter, after a quarrel with her parents. It is a Leap Year marriage and Cherry does the proposing.

She and Dan move into a cheap apartment and Cherry's first struggles with housework are discouraging. Dan, a newspaper critic of the News, is friendly. Cherry meets handsome Max Pearson, also of the News, who tries to make love to her.

Brenda Vail, magazine writer, comes to Wellington and Dan meets her. She asks him to collaborate in writing a play. Dan begins to spend most of his evenings at Miss Vail's apartment. Jealous rivalry between Cherry and Dan. He agrees to meet her for lunch one day but fails to appear. Later she sees him with Brenda. When Cherry accuses Dan of deceiving her they quarrel. He leaves the apartment and when he returns Cherry is gone. A week passes in which he does not hear from her.

Dan gives up his job, preparing to go to New York with Brenda. He discovers a story he has written published in a magazine under Brenda's name. When asked for an explanation she flies into a rage, admits she told the story. Brenda tells Dan she is going to Hollywood to write for motion pictures and that she is through with him forever. While they are talking a man she believes to represent the film company arrives. It is Max Pearson who has perpetrated this hoax to show up Brenda's true character. She is furious. Dan and Max leave together. Ashamed of this folly and thoroughly repentant, Dan sets out to find Cherry.

CHAPTER XLVII

Pearson repeated Dan's words. "You've got to find her? Why— isn't Cherry at home?"

"I haven't seen her for a week," Phillips admitted. "Cherry and I had a row. Oh, it was my fault! My fault altogether! I've got to find her and tell her I know that now—"

"But where is she?"

Dan did not answer. They had reached the intersection of two important thoroughfares just as the traffic lights flashed red. There was a drug store on the opposite corner. Dan touched Pearson's arm.

"Let me out here," he said. "I've got to telephone to Cherry."

"But if you don't know where she is how can you do that?"

"I'm going to call her home—I mean her parents' home. That's where she must be. Want to ask her if I can come out and talk to her. Don't you understand, Max? I've got to see Cherry! I've got to tell her a lot of things!"

Pearson stopped the car. "All right," he said, "but make it snappy. I won't be able to park here all day, you know."

Dan disappeared into the drug store. It was several minutes before he emerged and when he did one look at his face was enough to tell that the mission had failed.

Pearson eyed him expectantly. "Well?" he asked.

Dan got into the roadster. "She's not there," he said. "They haven't seen her or heard from her."

"Then where do you think she is?"

"I don't know! I thought all along—my God, Max, I've got to find her!"

"Isn't it rather late to begin thinking about that? You said Cherry left Saturday. I must say, Dan—"

"Say it! Say anything you want to! I'll admit I deserve all you're thinking about me. Tell me I've been a damned fool! I don't care what you say if you'll help me find her. She must be here in Wellington. She wouldn't go away!"

"Why not? How about her parents? Maybe she's with them."

Dan shook his head. "I don't think so," he said. "Cherry's proud. I don't think she'd go to her parents and—well, admit that she'd made a mistake. I thought she'd come back or at least send some word. When she didn't I decided she really meant what she said about being through with

been a fool, Max! I've—oh, if I could only find her. Talk to her! Maybe I could make her understand—maybe she'd give me another chance—"

Pearson interrupted. "Listen," he said, "I think Cherry's gone to her parents. You'd better try to get in touch with them. The truth is she telephoned me last Saturday. Told me things weren't going very well. That's the reason I planned that movie stunt and tried to get Brenda Vail out of town. I didn't want to see you and Cherry break up."

"Her father and mother are in North Carolina. Did she say she was going there?"

"No, she didn't say so. I just figured it out that way."

"What shall I do, Max?"

"Well, if I were you I'd send a wire. Do you know where to find her parents?"

"They're at some hotel. They've been there a month or more. It's—wait a minute—I've got it!"

He named a hotel in the fashionable North Carolina resort.

"Why don't you wire the management of the place? That would be less embarrassing I imagine, than trying to get in touch with her parents. Ask if Cherry Phillips—no, ask if Mr. and Mrs. Dixon's daughter is with them. That's the best way. Can't tell how she might be registered."

"I'll do it!" Dan said. "Let's go to the office. I'll send the wire from there."

Forty minutes later in the city room of the Wellington News Dan Phillips stood with a telegram in his hand. It was a terse report that Cherry Phillips was not with her parents.

Silently Dan handed the message to Pearson who read it and said, "Not there, huh?"

Pearson and Phillips were in a corner of the room otherwise deserted. The day staff had departed and only half a dozen of the night men were on hand. The click of a typewriter sounded monotonously from across the room.

Pearson rubbed his head. "We'll have to try again. Who are Cherry's friends, Dan? Who could she be with if she hasn't left town?"

"I've told you a dozen times I can't think of anyone! Dixie Shannon didn't even know she was gone. There isn't anybody—"

"But there must be!" Suddenly Pearson's fist hit the desk. "Look here, Dan, this may be serious! Has it occurred to you that Cherry's an heiress? Her father's money—have you thought of that?"

"What do you mean?"

"I mean anything may have happened in a week's time! A beautiful girl—wealthy—has been missing for seven days. Nobody knows what's become of her. Her parents—the servants at her home—no one person she might have been expected to communicate with has heard a word from her. How do you know she isn't been kidnapped? Maybe there's been an accident! Why, in a week's time—"

Pearson was on his feet. His dark face had set into a harsh mask.

"What are you going to do, Max?"

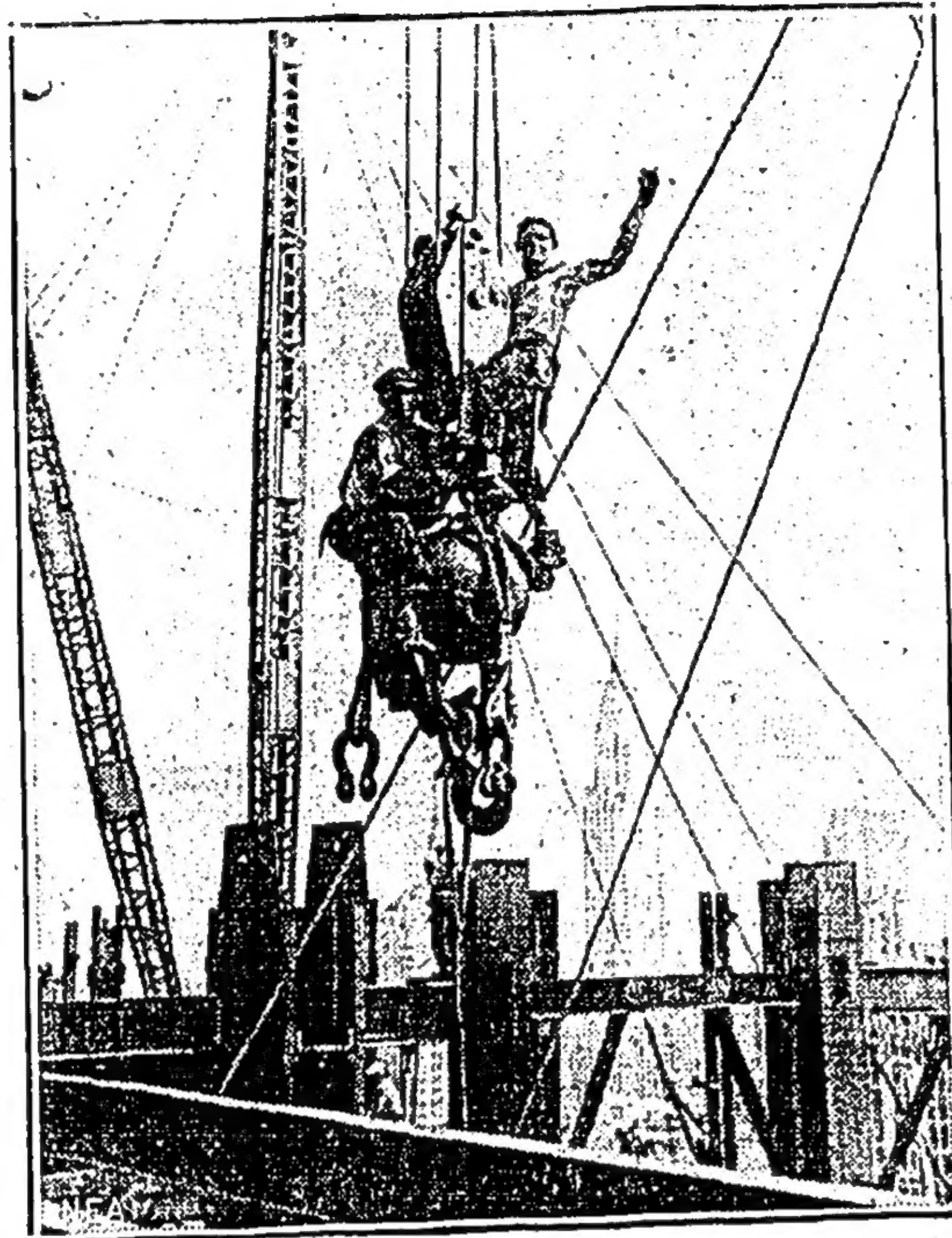
"Call the hospitals! You'd better get on another phone and take part of the list! If we can't find her this way there's nothing left but to let the police—"

A telegraph messenger entered the swinging gate that shut the city room from the entrance way.

"Dan, I think it would be a lot



Their faces sober with the realization of the tragic fate which they narrowly escaped, the only survivors among the officers and crew of the sunken French submarine *Prometheus* are shown here during memorial services held in honour of their 63 comrades who met death in the disaster. High government officials looked on as a benediction was pronounced and flowers were strewn over the spot, off Charbourg, where the submarine foundered.



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Senorita Helena Araujo, who caused a sensation in Paris recently by appearing everywhere in man's attire. She is the daughter of the San Salvador President.

the boy asked. Max was tearing the envelope open. Dan sprang to his side and together they read the words: "Sixty-five per week agreeable stop can you report here Saturday."

The message was signed with the name of the city editor of an eastern newspaper. Pearson crumpled the sheet into his coat pocket.

The boy asked, "Any answer?" Pearson hesitated an instant.

"Not now," he said and was on his way to the telephone booth.

There were no reports from Wellington hospitals of accident cases or patients who could be identified as Cherry Phillips. Dan and Max tried the hotels but the effort was equally unavailing.

Suddenly Dan sprang up. He caught Pearson's shoulder. "I've

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By Arnold Bennett.

just thought of something!" he cried eagerly. "Yes—I'll bet that's where she is, Max! Why didn't I think of it before—"

"Why didn't you think of what?" "I'll bet she's with Sarah—the woman who used to take care of her when she was a little girl. Sarah O'Fallon, that's her name!"

"Where is this woman? Let's get hold of her."

"I don't know where she is."

"But—"

Dan's mouth was drawn in a tight, hard line. His face was colourless, his voice sharpened. "I don't know where she is," he said, "but I'll find her. Sarah left when the Dixons closed their house last summer. She's somewhere not far from here. Cherry used to get letters! That's it—there must be letters—Come, Max!"

It was a single flight up the street level. Halfway, half-running, the two men reached the street.

They sprang into a cab and Dan gave the address of the apartment. It was Dan suddenly who was taking the initiative, who was giving orders and directing the search.

"I don't know what you're going to do!" Max reminded him.

"We're going out to the house to look for Cherry's letters. There must be some from Sarah. They'll give us the address."

"Dan, I think it would be a lot



The dentist's usual request to "open wider, please" was hardly necessary when an operation was performed to remove two aching molars from the mouth of Maud, aged Zoo elephant recently.

PREPARING GETAWAY.

could the police do? Cherry wouldn't want them interfering. I can't—I won't believe anything's happened to her!"

Max glanced quickly at his companion. Dan might say that he did not believe Cherry could be in danger. He might refuse to face that possibility, fight it off but Max knew it was that possibility that was gripping Dan, that had set his chin in its hard line and turned the grey eyes into blazing pits.

Max said impulsively, "Of course not. We'll find her somehow. Cherry's all right."

He didn't believe it; neither did Dan Phillips. But Dan was grateful for the words. He needed hope and encouragement then more than he had ever needed them in his life. Hope that Cherry was "all right" as Max had said. Encouragement that he could find her and make her listen to the things he must tell her. Without this hope and encouragement—but the blackness of such an abyss was unthinkable.

The cab halted. Max called to the driver. "Take us to the house where the Dixons lived."

the building, hurrying up the long staircase.

Dan had whipped his keys from his pocket. He was fumbling in the half-darkness, trying to fit the key into the lock, when something caught his attention. He looked almost missed the tiny object

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 1932, at NOON, to pass the Direc-
 tors' Report and Accounts, to elect
 retiring Directors and Auditors, to
 declare a Dividend, and to
 transact any other Ordinary
 Business of the Company.

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 Company will be CLOSED from
 the 25th to the 28th day of
 SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days in-
 clusive.

Dated the 19th day of Septem-
 ber, 1932.

By Order of the Board,
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DRAW

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 is restricted to golfing members of
 the Kowloon Cricket Club and is to
 be played at the Kowloon Golf Club
 on Sunday, 25th inst., is given below.
 The competition is on medal play
 over 18 holes in the morning. Four-
 somes in the afternoon will be arrang-
 ed at the Club House for those
 players who remain for tea.

9 a.m. F. Goodwin (10) & C. W. L.

Colo (18).

9.5 a.m. H. W. Page (14) & H.

Overy (12).

9.10 " E. F. Fincher (18) & W.

Goldenberg (24).

9.15 " J. B. McCaw (18) & V. C.

Labrum (10).

9.20 " J. S. Smith (16) & F. E.

Lawrence (24).

9.25 " S. Jex (16) & W. C. Simp-

son (18).

9.30 " G. W. Jeffries (18) & H. E.

Stone (18).

9.35 " W. A. Stewart (9) & A.

Urquhart (16).

9.40 " E. S. Abraham (18) &

E. R. Price (16).

R.A. Headquarters notify that firing

will be carried out from Stone-

cutters between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. on

Tuesday September 27th, in the area

north of Kau-I-Chau and south of

Kap Sing Mun Pass.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local
 share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1605 b.

Hongkong Lon. Reg. \$115 n.

Chartered Bank, \$18½ n.

Mercantile Bank, A. & B.

\$22¼ n.

Mercantile Bank C., \$9½ n.

East Asia, \$109 n.

Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n.

China O. Fin. Ord., \$15.6 n.

China O. Fin. Pret. \$15.40 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$1410 n.

Union Ins. \$500 n.

China Underwriters, \$285 b.

China Fire, \$620 n.

H. K. Fire Ins., \$1200 n.

Information Asse. \$15.4 b.

Shipping.

Douglases, \$26 n.

H.K. Steamboats, \$25 b.

Indo-China, \$145 n.

Indo-China, \$132 n.

Shall (Bearer), \$58/9 n.

Union Waterboats, \$20¼ b.

Mining.

Benguet, \$18 b.

Kailans, \$28/9 n.

Langkats (Single), \$15.4 n.

S'hai Explorations, \$12.10 n.

S'hai Loans, \$15.230 n.

Raub, \$40½ n.

Venz: Goldfields, \$2.90 b.

Benguet Exp., 20 cts. n.

Docks, etc.

H.K.K. Wharves, \$142 b.

H.K.

S. China Motors A., \$10 n.

S. China Motor B., \$8 n.

Providents (old), \$4.85 b.

Providents (new), \$2.30 n.

Hongkew, \$15.220 n.

New Engineering, \$15.5¾ n.

Shanghai Docks, \$15.90 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

Hotels (old), \$12 b.

Hotels (new), \$11.40 b.

"TELEGRAPH" ART

SUPPLEMENT

Topical Pictures

To-morrow

To-morrow's issue of the

Telegraph Pictorial Supplement

will contain an interest-

ing selection of topical pic-

tures, together with the com-

mented amateur photographs in

our recent competition.

Weddings illustrated will

be those of Mr. J. F. Shea and

Miss G. A. Chan, Mr. Wong

Chung-tak and Miss Choi

Chung-ning, and Mr. Chan

Tat-sang and Miss Soo Kit-

sang.

There will also be groups

taken at the St. Andrew's

Club hockey dinner, at the

banquet given by Mr. and Mrs.

Loo Wing-Kit to the Governor

of Macao, and of the S.C.A.

girls' volleyball team.

H.K. Lands, \$74¼ b.

S'hai Lands, \$12.34 n.

Metropolitan Lands, \$10 n.

Humphreys, \$16 n.

H.K. Realities, \$9 b.

Asia Realities "A", \$140 n.

Asia Realities "B", \$28 n.

Chinese Estates, \$100 n.

China Realities, \$1.140 n.

China Debentures \$15.96½ n.

Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, \$14.10 b.

S'hai Cottons, \$13¾ n.

Zong Sines, \$11.10 n.

Wing On Textiles (S.) 145 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramway, \$21.90 b.

Park Trams (old) \$16 n.

Park Trams (new), \$8 n.

Star Ferries \$19 n.

Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35½ n.

Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34 b.

China Lights (old), \$17.55 b.

China Lights (new), \$17.10 b.

H.K. Electric, \$75 b.

Macao Electric, \$24 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.

Telephones (P.P.), \$28 n.

Telephones (P.P.), \$23 b.

China Buses, \$15.10 n.

Singapore Tracting, 2/- n.

Singapore Prof. 14/- n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sdgars, \$27½ n.

Cold Mag. (Ord.), \$15.14 n.

Cold Mag. (Pref.), \$15.10½ n.

Canton Ice, \$6 n.

Cements (Com.), \$14.40 b.

Cements (old), \$10¼ n.

Cements (new), \$3½ n.

H.K. Ropes, \$12 n.

Agriculture, \$10¼ n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$27.50 n.

Watsons (old), \$12.10 n.

Watsons (new), \$12 n.

Der. A. Wins, \$1 n.

Sinceres, \$16 n.

Lane Crawfords, \$5.25 b.

Mudintosh, \$21 n.

Wm. Powell, \$3.85 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$240 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements \$19¼ n.

Entertainments, \$13¼ n.

S. C. Entertainment, \$10 n.

United Theatres \$15.55 b.

Macao "Lyons" \$10 n.

Construction (old), \$8.20 n.

Construction (new), \$1.40 n.

Ind. O. Bonds, \$600 n.

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CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"

"TARZAN THE APE MAN" A VERY REMARKABLE FILM

WAS NOVELLO LEG-PULLING?

(By "Celluloid").

IN some respects the film adaptation of Edgar Rice Burroughs's adventure novel of African life, *Tarzan the Ape-man*, which is the feature of the programme at the Queen's Theatre this week, falls short of expectations. Thrills abound but many are so far-fetched that they border on the line of absurdity. The title role is played by Johnny Weissmuller, the world's champion swimmer and his wonderful physique enables him to carry out the exacting role with an ease which is astounding.

THE story tells of the determination of Parker (C. Aubrey Smith) an ivory-seeking Englishman in Africa, to find the mythical Elephants' burial ground with its ivory treasure. He is aided by Holt, (Neil Hamilton) another Englishman, but on the eve of their departure Jane (Maureen O'Sullivan), Parker's daughter, arrives at the outpost. She insists on accompanying them. On their way to the burial ground they see a herd of giant apes swinging through the trees led by an enormous white man. While the safari watches the Apes, Tarzan, the Ape-man, drops to the ground and, seizing Jane, carries her to the trees. Jane is subsequently rescued by the safari but is unable to forget her Ape-man.

THE party is next attacked and captured by the pygmies and thrown into the gorilla death trap. As in the days of the old silent thriller, the hero, Tarzan, arrives in the nick of time and single handed overcomes this monster. Tarzan's jungle friends, the elephants, then come to his rescue and reduce the village to a mass of ruins. One of these animals is wounded and starts for the burial ground to die. Parker is wounded, but refuses to leave the elephant's back until the ivory has been located. The party passes through a waterfall into a cave piled high with ivory and bones. In an attempt to get to the ground Parker falls and dies. He is buried and the trio then clamber onto the other elephant and escape from the cave. Like the heroines of old, Jane decides to stay in the jungle with her ape-man while Holt goes his way with a promise to return one day to recover the ivory.

HEAVY DRAMA.

A picture of real heavy drama. *The Strange Case of Clara Deane*, which had its first showing at the King's Theatre yesterday, is a type of film which will probably enjoy only a restricted popularity and appeal. The story itself is well conceived, though it could have been better exploited. Heart-throb scenes abound and Wynne Gibson gets the utmost out of them with a characteristic performance. Pat O'Brien plays opposite and good work is accomplished by Frances Dee. The film will undoubtedly attract the interest of a large number of patrons and as an entertainment it is quite up to standard.

THE M. G. M. creation *But The Flesh Is Weak* has been and departed leaving behind a feeling of wonderment. Was Ivor Novello, that ingenious playwright, having a leg-pull or was he endeavouring to present a serious portrayal of English Society? For my own peace of mind I hope the former conjecture is correct, otherwise I shall find it difficult ever again to take playwrights seriously. We are all aware that English Society has its idiosyncracies—so for that matter has any society whatever its strata or its nationality—but to offer as a serious study the characters of *But The Flesh Is Weak* is a bit over the odds. If the characters in the film were true to life, then Robert Montgomery as the heir-apparent was nothing else but a cad and quite unmoral, living with an equally unmoral father, running after women too blind to see what it was all about. Certainly a queer concoction. On the other hand, if it was merely a bluff, then I take off my hat and am quite willing to hail Robert as the young hero, even if he does do such idiotic things as clamber about ivoried walls in Mayfair!

A HOLLYWOOD ERROR.

I may have been mistaken, but I thought I detected a slight air of detachment and disinterest in the performance of Montgomery. Certain I am that Hollywood is slowly sapping his individuality (heretofore his greatest charm) by making him conform to a "type." The work of C. Aubrey Smith was, however, first rate, whereas Nora Gregor didn't appeal in the slightest in this direction. Among the members of the fair sex, Heather Thatcher was outstanding, and as a character was the only one to reveal any decent qualities. Edward Everett Horton was entirely mis-cast. He is a humourist, not a thwarted lover!



HIGH TREASON—A dramatic episode in the brilliant British production, *High Treason*, which shows at the Tai Ping Theatre on Sunday. A well conceived theme is given an entirely new treatment.



HORSEFEATHERS—The inimitable Marx Brothers have temporarily disbanded, but before doing so they produced another riotous film entitled *Horsefeathers*, which, according to reviews is funnier than any of their previous work. Here you see them, with Thelma Todd, the new leading lady who supplies the sex appeal, as they appear in the picture.

NEW BRITISH FILM.

HITHERTO, most of the films shown in Hongkong have either presented stories of the stage, sex and crime. The Gaumont Company has produced something different in *High Treason* which is due to commence at the Tai Ping Theatre on Sunday. *High Treason* breaks the spell of stereotyped screen stories—more than that, it is sufficiently unusual to be distinctive in film entertainment. Based on a play by Pemberton Billing, it presents a picture of the world in 1904 when the Peace Movement has grown to large enough proportions to take militant action to prevent war. No greater theme could be found for dramatization at this day when the world is seeking a way to permanent peace, but it may be remarked that since the primary purpose of this film is entertainment and not propaganda, the producers have wisely interwoven the world's greatest theme, the omnipotence of love in all ages and the triumph of humanity. *High Treason* affords great entertainment to everyone, to every

family and every member of the family. And it is the duty of every Briton in the colony to see the finest, fastest and most amazing British picture ever made. Benita Hume, Basil Gull, Humberston Wright and Jameson Thomas are the leading players, and the picture is directed by Maurice Elvey.

COMEDY TEAM BREAKS UP.

WHILE Broadwayites roll in the aisles at the premiere showing of their latest mad antics, the sons of Minna Schoenberg, once a toiler in the Ghetto lace shops, go upon their separate ways with the time of their reunion now indefinite.

Arthur, one of the world's great pantomimic clowns, is off for the Russian Art Theatre at the behest of the great artist, Max Reinhardt. Julius, the most insane chatter artist on or off the stage, will work alone on the American boards. Leonard and Herbert are likely to

WEEK-END SHOWS.

King's (To-day) "Strange Case of Clara Deane"
(Sunday) "Devil's Lottery"
Queen's (To-day and onwards) "Tarzan the Ape Man"
Central (To-day) "Power of Love" (Chinese)
Majestic (To-day) "Slippy"
Oriental (To-day) "All Quiet on the Western Front"
Garden (To-day) "Dracula"
Taiping (Sunday) "High Treason"

take a vacation, though there is some possibility that Leonard may play the piano in Julius' act.

THE SECRET REVEALED.

IN case these names seem unfamiliar, the gents under discussion are known to the show world as Harpo, Groucho, Chico and Zeppo Marx—otherwise, the Marx brothers. Their trick names were given them many years ago by one Art Fisher, a monologue performer, in Peoria, Ill. There is a fifth brother, Gummo, of whom you do not hear. Also there is an uncle, Al Schoenberg, who began as a tailor's assistant, but is known today as Al Shean—yes, the other half of the once famous Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean team.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Sept. 22.

Dow Jones averages:
Sept. 21, Sept. 22.
30 Industrials 75.16 72.71
20 Rails 36.22 35.68
20 Utilities 33.01 32.08

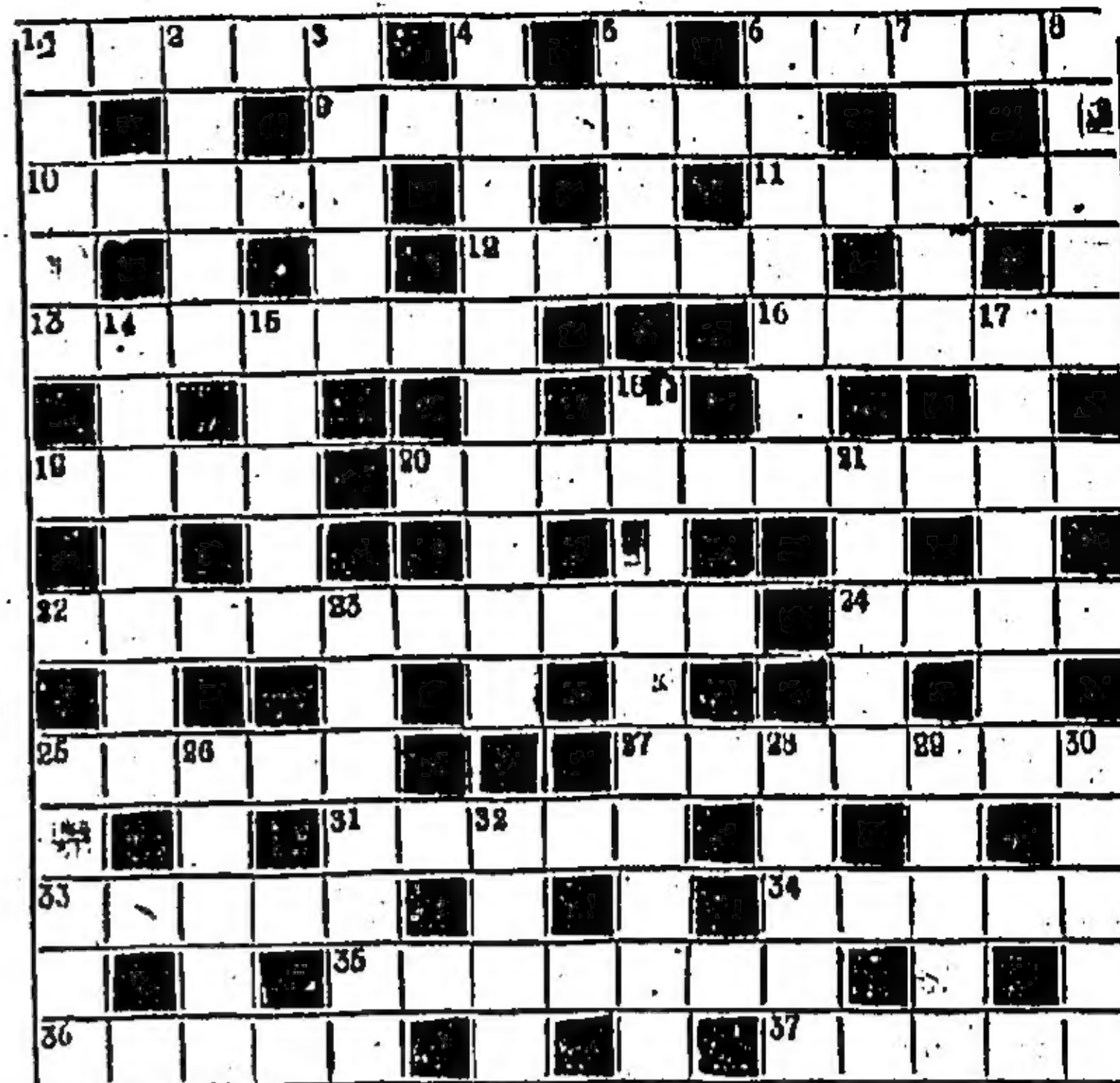
Messrs E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—Unsettling news is used as a reason for the irregularity of the market, but probably it is logical to interpret the irregularity as a reflection of the fast advance yesterday. We would regard the market as trading and purchase on further irregularity to-morrow morning. Business done: 3,700,000 shares.

	Sept. 21.	Sept. 22.
Air Reduction	\$61½	\$59½
Allied Chemical & Dye	83½	80
American Can	57½	65½
American Telephone & Telegraph	116½	114½
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Anaconda Copper	14½	13½
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Borden Company	18½	17½
Consolidated Gas of New York	62½	60½
Drugs, Inc.	47	45½
Du Pont de Nemours	42½	40½
Eastman Kodak	58½	56½
General Electric	20½	19½
General Foods	32	31
General Motors	18½	17½
International Harvester	28½	26½
International Tel. & Tel.	13½	12½
Liggett & Myers	64½	61½
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Loew's Inc.	34½	32½
Pacific Gas & Electric	32	31½
Pennsylvania Railroad	20½	20½
Radio Corporation	10½	9½
Scars Roebuck	24½	23½
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	33½	32½
Socony Vacuum Corp.	10½	10½
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Union Pacific	80	77½
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- 9 Of course we get custom, but with a pronounced drop.
- 11 They meet at the centre but the conclusions at which they arrive are kept within bounds.
- 12 Wall (rev.).
- 13 Give the girl a sign of approval, on the knee.
- 16 Put in.
- 20 Anxiety is shown for the hundred odd who are alone.
- 22 Kentish town.
- 24 Raw—like Ben Jonson.
- 25 Let in.
- 27 What good is to bad.
- 31 Fish basket.
- 33 A part of the year that is sometimes very hot, and sometimes very cold.
- 34 Old wagons.
- 35 In a body (two words).
- 36 Quantities: frequently nauseous.
- 37 Town in Yorkshire.

Down

- 1 Go the whole hog here.
- 2 Food and drink.
- 3 Go very varily here—it's wrong, you know.
- 4 In this part of Spain, there's some bother between equal numbers, and both sides have legal force.
- 5 The Scottish poor.
- 6 Ends that most people achieve at one time or another.

- 7 Excursions.
- 8 Always behindhand.
- 14 Altered—probably for the better.
- 15 Fairly like.
- 17 Getting on all right.
- 18 Native of Ceylon (one spelling).
- 21 One will not require the services of a detective to discover the body.
- 23 Very rough jobs.
- 25 Dream (anag.).
- 28 I repeat: 26—but less.
- 28 Hauled.
- 29 Just the place for the fresh air zealot, this Scottish country: there's plenty of air.
- 30 Antiquated.
- 32 Trees.

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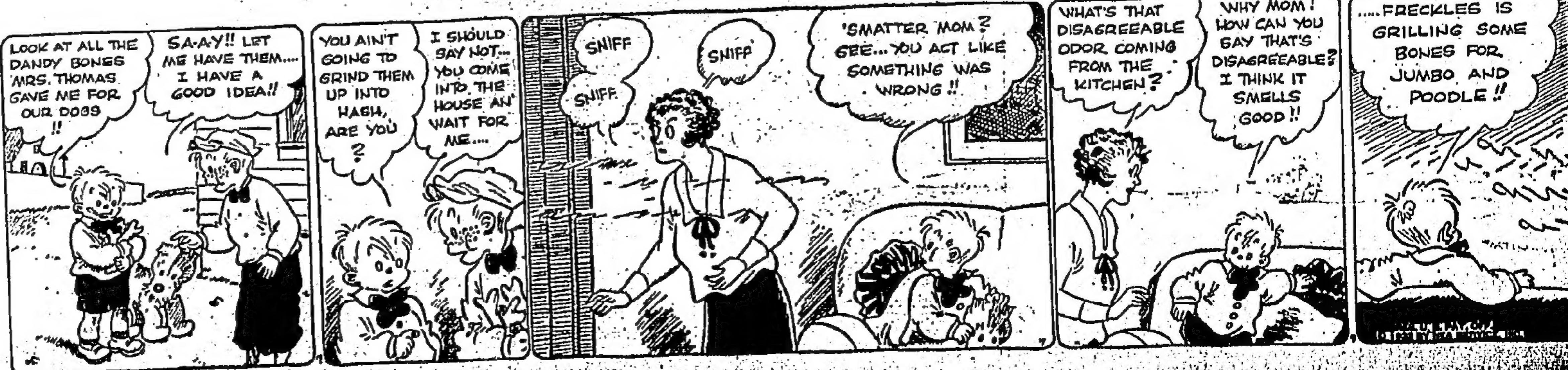
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THE BUDGET

Hongkong's Budget for 1933 is not likely to arouse a great deal of controversy, for the simple reason that it contains little that is contentious. It is, as Mr. Hallifax himself described it, rather colourless, the Government being quite content to follow a middle course between undue optimism and excessive pessimism. Such arguments as are likely to arise will probably centre round the selection of public works, a subject on which it is always difficult to secure unanimous agreement, but even here we cannot see that there can be much fault to find with the choice made by the Government, since all the new big undertakings which are being started, such as the new Government Civil Hospital, the new Gaol and the Central British School, represent urgent needs. There will be those who would have liked a start to be made on the much-needed Kowloon Post Office, but the Government attitude on this matter—that it is better to wait a while and then erect a large Government building which will include ample postal facilities—seems to be one with which there can be little quarrel.

Looking into the financial position of the Colony, it is to be noted that despite the fact that revenue for the current year is expected to be over eight lakhs short of the estimate, there are anticipations of a surplus on the year's working of more than \$465,000, which will have the result of increasing the credit balance by some half a million dollars when compared with the position at the end of 1931. Revenue has not come in quite as well as had been hoped, and in particular there is a falling away in land sales, which, on an estimate of \$1,750,000, are not expected to

figure the question naturally arises whether the building boom has spent its force. At the moment, there does appear to be some slackening off, but it is quite conceivable that with a general revival in the future, fresh impetus will be given to the movement. The Government expectation, however, is that revenue generally is likely in the coming twelve months to approximate that of the current year, and as expenditure is rather heavier than the 1932 figures, there are anticipations of a deficit, though this is by no manner of means an alarming figure. Should revenue shrink, it will be possible to prune expenditure and reduce commitments. Generally speaking, the Government would appear inclined to err on the side of caution, especially since the dollar is reckoned on a basis of 1s. 2d. It is, of course, impossible to tell what will happen to silver, but should there be a general recovery in world depression during 1933, it is reasonable to assume that silver prices will appreciate in common with those of other commodities. One thing seems fairly clear, namely, that when there is a definite turn for the better, the improvement will be rapid, as this would be the natural reaction to such a long-continued and severe depression.

One interesting development foreshadowed in the Colonial Secretary's speech is the experiment which has as its aim the substitution of local for European staff in some of the more responsible clerical posts and in the Sanitary Inspectorate. We heartily approve of a test being made along these lines, but the success of the experiment will naturally have to be judged by results. If it is shown that efficiency is not jeopardised, there should be no reason why, in the interests of those who have their homes in the Colony, the idea should not eventually be extended further still. If success is to be achieved, however, sufficient attraction in the way of salary will need to be offered to attract the right type of men.

Postage Up: Fewer Letters.

It is hardly surprising that the increased cost of postage in the Colony has materially decreased the postman's load and caused revenue from this source to fall considerably short of the estimated receipts. The Colonial Treasurer, analysing the situation, says that the number of parcels despatched by mail has markedly diminished, and if he had gone deeper, it would probably have been found that while personal correspondence to places abroad has not been seriously checked, many fewer letters than formerly are passing through the Post Office for local delivery. The increases, remarkably heavy in respect of foreign letters, were bound to have an effect. More letters are being delivered by hand, which is possible in Hongkong, although in many other parts of the world it is prohibited. There are legal restrictions on delivery by anybody except the postman, making it impossible for most senders to avoid the stamp. It would be impossible, of course, to apply such restrictions in Hongkong unless the Government could show its ability to provide a service equally as efficient as the local chit system. The cost of so doing would, we imagine, exceed the amount of the increase in revenue resulting. As regards personal correspondence between residents in the Colony and their friends abroad, it is not likely to be estopped for economy; though we feel that the existing postage rates are excessively high. It is now and then argued that letter writing is a lost art, but in the larger definition of correspondence it may be plausibly answered that never before has the art of letter writing been so assiduously studied and diligently practised, even if the well-known indifference of swine to pearls is no greater than that of many recipients to the artistic and artful efforts expended on many of the letters they receive. In these letters professional scribes devote their best efforts to the composition

DAY BY DAY

THERE IS SOMETHING IN EVERY MAN'S HEART WHICH, IF WE COULD KNOW, WOULD MAKE US HATE HIM.
—Goethe.

A Whist and Bridge Drive will be held in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, on Monday, September 25 at 9 p.m.

Forthcoming weddings include that of Mr. Carlos A. de S. P. d'Assumpcao, 6 United Terrace, Ho Mun Tin, Kowloon, to Miss Lyce C. dos Santos Oliveira, 14 Ashley Road, Kowloon.

Passengers who left by the Empress of Canada to-day included Mr. C. Bunje, Professor W. I. Gerrard, Comdr. J. B. Newill, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Mr. K. K. Rounds, and Mr. H. G. Sheldon.

Dr. C. M. Hasselmann, M.D., D.T.M. & H., will give a lecture to the Hongkong University Medical Society on Monday September 26, at 6.15 p.m. in Room "K" University Main Building, when he will take as his subject "Our Present Conception of the Relation of Yaws to Syphilis" (with lantern slides).

Of a very interesting character was the lecture given by the Very Rev. Dean Swann to members of the St. Andrew's Club in the Church Hall last night on "Palestine." The discourse was illustrated with a number of lantern slides which depicted various scenes of interest and was much appreciated by the audience.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Sept. 21	Sept. 22
West River at Shihling	441.7	0	6.9
North River at Talinguen	441.7	0	6.9
North River at Samshui	427.3	-6.3	9.8
East River at Shiehling	416.6	-2.6	5.6

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

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New York Terminals.

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December 1932 1.07 down 1 pt.
March 1933 1.04 no change
May 1933 1.07 down 1 pt.
July 1933 1.12 no change
Cuban 96°—Spot. N.Y. 1.15 no change.

other, of the scenes and advantages incidental to a sea trip. To what extent the volume of this correspondence has been lessened by the increased cost of postage has not been disclosed. But it may be hoped that this modern art of letter writing will not be seriously discouraged.

WHAT I THINK OF MYSELF

By NINE FAMOUS MEN

If you were on your deathbed, by what things would you like your success or failure in life to be judged? This question has been answered by nine famous men.

Bernard Shaw.

I am not on my deathbed, except in so far as we are all on our deathbeds. Personally I should prefer to die in a reasonably dry ditch under the stars.

I have not succeeded; people have agreed to rank me as successful—that is all. Have I not written somewhere that life levels all men: death reveals the eminent. Well, I am not quite dead yet.

Sir Oliver Lodge.

I don't expect to look back or worry about the past; rather I expect to look hopefully to the future.

I have done what I could, and not wasted much time.

I am content to leave the rest in Higher hands. We all have to do our bit; we are all wheels in an intricate machinery, and I have striven never to dislocate it or put things wrong.

A question of success or failure never loomed large in my estimation, and I feel sure it will not trouble me at what is called the end.

La vie est telle
Que Dieu la fit,
Et telle quelle
Elle suffit.
Einstein.

Neither on my deathbed nor previously would I think of putting such a question to myself. Nature is no engineer and no organiser of enterprises, and I am a little bit of Nature.

Bertrand Russell.

I have been trying to imagine what I shall feel on my deathbed; but as I am at this moment in the best of health, I find it a little difficult.

There seems to me to be four different factors by which I should judge the success or failure of my life:—

(1) Work in philosophy and mathematical logic; (2) work on social questions; (3) the success or otherwise of my children; (4) personal influence on people I have known.

With regard to (1) I should judge my work a success if it had been a stage in reaching some important development, even if it had not been more than a stage, and had been completely superseded.

With regard to (2), there are major and minor successes possible. Major successes are those of men like Locke and Rousseau, who affected Governments and the structure of society.

Marx has achieved this kind of success in regard to Russia. Such success would, of course, be delicious, but I know it is not for me. A minor success, which I should, nevertheless, consider not worthless, would be to influence the outlook of a large number of individuals, thereby perhaps diminishing the ferocity of some voters, and improving the education of some children.

With regard to my own children, I shall be satisfied if they turn out to be happy, intelligent, and decent individuals.

With regard to my influence on personal acquaintances, I shall be

satisfied if I can feel that I have turned some of them away from the more brutal and more grasping and destructive pursuits to those which I regard as constructive.

I once persuaded a young man to be a philosopher rather than an airman, and he became a first-rate philosopher. I shall think of this with satisfaction on my deathbed.

John Galsworthy.

I find myself unable really to answer this question, for it leaves its own premises undefined. For instance, what is meant by success or failure? The mood in which the dying will look back—mood of satisfaction or of discontent? Or is the meaning a material one—of bank balance and worldly position, and so forth?

One would have imagined the former is meant but for the use of the words "by what facts," which suggests the latter.

Again: if the inquiry be as to the mood in which one will die the constituents of that mood would be far too intimate and complex for me to give expression to. While if inquiry be as to material success, "Who's Who," and the probate authorities will furnish the best answer.

Further, though this is quibbling; on one's deathbed one will be indifferent, or at least warped in one's view.

Dean Inge.

I should be very sorry to judge my own life. I leave that to a higher Power, who, I hope, will be more lenient than I should be.

Sir Philip Gibbs.

Succeeded in what? . . . Failed in what? On one's deathbed, if one can measure up one's own life, success will not be reckoned in worldly values of fame, or distinction, or money, or power. What the word calls failure may be one secret standard of success, and in any case we shall all have failed to live up to our own hopes and dreams.

I doubt whether in such an hour there is any satisfaction to be had out of one's own adventure in egotism. Man's helplessness will be revealed to him. He will know how much he has been shaped by heredity, environment, luck, accident, and physical condition. He will not claim as his own the things he has done if there was any good in them.

Michael Arlen.

I shall know I have failed if, on surveying the course of my life, I find that I have not deserved, and not held the affection of those who have been in intimate daily contact with me.

I shall know I have failed if, in spite of lapses and trifling ambitions, I have not sought to act and think like a decent citizen of the world.

Hugh Walpole.

- 1.—Whether I still believe in life rather than repudiate it.
- 2.—Whether, in spite of my own meanness and jealousies, I still love my fellow-men.
- 3.—Whether I am still made happy by little things.
- 4.—Whether I have conquered fear.
- 5.—Whether I have worked hard, and with joy in working.

YO! HO! HO!

By Edward Kelly, A. B.

THE Royal Society in London, we hear, is offering a prize of £100 for the best essays for improvements in navigation, and the construction of ships.

We have already borrowed \$120 on the strength of the offer. We recommend nice black funnels to make the ship look more homelike. Also, instead of portholes, windows which have to be propped up with a beer bottle. TRAVEL ON THE KELLY LINE ON YOUR WINTER CRUISE! OUR COLD SHOWERS DON'T WORK!

As for the rolling of the vessel—it has always been a puzzle to us why it hasn't been stopped.

On our last jaunt to Macao we said to a fellow passenger, "Why does the ship roll so much?"

He said, "I give up."

He did.

The Captain pacing to and fro on the bridge is obviously what does it. He should be lashed to the wheel to prevent him from walking about while the wind howls in the rigging, and the blinding spray lashes the faces of the sturdy sailors to ribbons.

Hard bit an sailors is what we need. We know one tough old salt from my name. He was



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CRICKET

KING WILLOW SOON TO HOLD HIS COURT

UNUSUALLY HAPPY PROSPECTS FOR COMING SEASON

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB'S GREAT CAPTURE

(By "THE STUMPER")

Although the official cricket season does not commence until the first Saturday of next month, a certain feeling, which no cricketer with the love of the game at heart can mistake, has permeated the atmosphere for some time past at most clubs where cricket is known and played. In the evenings, after office hours, the sound of bat meeting ball is to be heard in almost every corner of the Colony—Sookunpoo, Happy Valley, King's Park and even far-off Pokfulam.

THE cricket season of 1932-33 will be a memorable one for several reasons. For the first time, the larger wicket will be introduced. This experiment—it is still in its experimental stage in Hongkong—has proved very successful in Shanghai and other parts in the East, and there is no reason why it should not be so here. Keenness in local cricket has now reached fever-pitch; in fact it is a long time since I have seen so much enthusiasm. The arrival of new players has supplied just the necessary stimulant to some clubs, while others are bent on removing the Indians from their pedestal; need I say that the latter are just as determined to remain where they are? Can there be a more satisfactory position to ensure the success of any League?

THERE is a spirit of quiet confidence at Sookunpoo, where the Indians, champions of both divisions for the last two years, are putting in a lot of hard practice for their attempt to do the "hat-trick." With all the formidable sides out to beat them this year, it is rather doubtful whether they can repeat their past performances. They have more or less the same team as last year, but I am afraid they are very much against them. I feel sure of one thing, however, and it is that if they don't win the championship again, it will not be for want of trying. They will be without the services of Kermann, but now have A. Binkar, of the University, to fill up the gap. Binkar will strengthen the bowling at any rate and is also an excellent field.

WITH new players, a new pavilion, and, as one player said recently, "we hope a new spirit," the prospects of the Kowloon Cricket Club for a season of outstanding achievement have never been brighter. In fact I think I can promise something really good from the Peninsula club this winter. Of course all the players are in a serious practice, and a glimpse of what is to come. The club can certainly hug itself over the capture of Ivor McInnes, a bowler-batsman who has obviously seen better grade cricket than our own worthy league. He hails from Australia (the birthright of me and only Don Bradman!), but you only have to watch him at work to appreciate this.

MCINNES is going to develop into one of the Colony's best medium pace bowlers. He has a fine action, bowling right arm, and uses his fingers well to obtain that "zip" off the wicket which so often upsets the unwary, or even the wary batsman. He can come in sharply from the off and is liable to give any batsman a whole heap of trouble. As a batsman he is sound, rather than brilliant. A thoroughly good defence is his foundation, but he has quite a number of scoring strokes and can hit a loose ball. Another "figure" is that of A. T. Lay, a fine dashing bat, who is out for runs in the shortest possible time. A quick eye affords him invaluable assistance in effecting some of his more spectacular shots, but he is no wild slogger, and should make a heap of runs for the K.C.C. Both McInnes and Lay are sure for the first eleven, which otherwise will retain the majority of last year's stalwarts. John Hunter, who has proved himself a class wicket-keeper, will occupy that position again, whilst Norman Mackay, his understudy, is being played with the seniors for his batting, which promises a fine even better than last year. The only newcomer to the second string is Pat Dunne of Shanghai, who played plenty of league cricket whilst at North and is a useful all-rounder. His inclusion will most decidedly mean a strengthening of the side.

I HAVE heard a great deal of the Hongkong Cricket Club lately. It looks as if they are out for blood. With A. W. Hayward again taking an active part in the field, the impending arrival of T. A. Pearce, the Kent cricketer and son of popular "Taps" Pearce, and the general enhanced keenness of the players, the H.K.C.C. may well be the side to wrest the championship from the Indians. It is several years since they had a really good side out, and it would seem they have one this

REVIEW

RUMJAHNS' FINE WIN

BEAT ANDREWS & SULLIVAN

EXHIBITION GAMES

(By "VERITAS").

"NOW what do you think Andrews is going to teach us? A tennis enthusiast chided me as we left the Cricket Club ground yesterday, after the Rumjahn cousins, our local doubles stalwarts had decisively beaten E. D. Andrews and A. L. Sullivan and the New Zealanders and "Sirdar" had engaged in a desultory and unglorifying singles demonstration.

The enthusiast was, of course, referring to the sudden lapse of form on the part of our distinguished visitor. Andrews was definitely off colour yesterday and not even his trouncing of S. A. Rumjahn 6-1, 6-1, could alter this impression.

The ground strokes were there just the same, but his net work, both volleying and overhead was disappointingly weak. He seemed quite unable to control the direction of his shots and his timing was faulty to the extreme. Although the scores suggest an exceedingly comfortable win Andrews never overwhelmed Rumjahn, but his ground stroke placements and the speed which he obtained off the grass upset the Hongkong champion, who nevertheless retrieved magnificently and did not enjoy the best of jobs. Andrews exhibited beautiful footwork yesterday, but from the spectators point of view it is most unfortunate that he is such an unobtrusive player. The quiet manner in which he accomplishes his shots, plus his splendid anticipation leaves the ordinary onlooker with the feeling that he is being cheated, whereas, as I endeavoured to point out yesterday, Andrews is continually an object lesson.

RUMJAHNS ASCENDANT. In the doubles the Rumjahns completely vindicated themselves and are still waiting to see a better pair in the Far East outside of Japan. Their work against Andrews and Sullivan yesterday reached the ball-mark of excellence. They were streets ahead of their opponents at the net, although none of the players demonstrated the ability to "ace" kill from overhead.

The fact that the cousins ran out winners 6-3, 6-3, shows only too clearly that theirs was not a lucky affair. The beauty of their win was that it was mainly achieved at the expense of Andrews. They played on him continually and he could not sustain himself under the persistent pressure. Sullivan was rather out of the picture, though he secured more service games than his partner.

championship honours, but it all depends, I think, on whether they can turn out the same side week by week.

AS far as I can see, the Craigengower C.C. and the University have not discovered any new talent really worth mentioning. Whilst last year, the undergraduates have been considerably weakened as a result of several players leaving the University. A. Baker, one of their best bowlers, graduated last year and has thrown in his lot with the Indians, whilst their best bat, Donald Anderson, underwent an operation for appendicitis about three months ago. The University cricketers are certainly having a lean time. Most "freshers" nowadays prefer other games to cricket, with the result that



E. D. ANDREWS IN ACTION—Three striking pictures of E. D. Andrews in play during yesterday's exhibition tennis matches. He is shown executing a forehand drive, a smash at the net and his sliced service.

Hints for To-morrow's Racing

SPORTS FIXTURES

WEEK-END FOOTBALL CRICKET & HOCKEY

The following are a few of the sports fixtures for to-day and to-morrow.

TO-DAY.

Hockey.

Radio Sports Club v. H.M.S. Phoenix, Marina Ground, 5.30 p.m. The following players will represent the R.S.C. XI—Surin, Singh, Pargun Singh, J. S. Grewal, Jaggeet Singh, M. H. Hassan, Mohinder Singh, Prem Singh, Kalwant Singh and Attar Singh. Reserve—Man Singh and Harbhajan Singh.

Mule Corps v. H.K.S.R.A., Marina ground, 4 p.m. Mule Corps Dvr. Gaiinda Ram; L/N Jagannath, Dvr. Nagar Ram; Ris. Kirpa Ram L/N Bisharat, Dvr. Lachman; Dvr. Nikka Ram, Capt. H. Eve, M.C., L/N Sukant Singh, C. C. Francis, Dvr. Atta Mohd. Y.M.C.A. 2nd XI v. Club "A", King's Park, 5.15 p.m.

SATURDAY.

Hockey.

Y.M.C.A. v. R.A.M., King's Park, 10 a.m. R.A.S.C. v. Indian R.C. Juniors, Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m. The Service Corps will be represented by the following players: W. O. I. Pampin (Capt.), Sgt. Tippet, Sgt. Hurst, Cpl. Barlow, L/Cpl. Orr, Pte. Funnell, Pte. Lazenby, Pte. Buckland, Dvr. Gray, Dvr. Powell and Dvr. Whitley. Umpire S/Sgt. Randall. Scorer, Sgt. Kirk. Reserve, Pte. Mackay.

Football.

Kowloon 1st XI v. Navy 1st XI, Kowloon, 4.30 p.m. Kowloon 2nd XI v. Navy 2nd XI, Kowloon, 3 p.m. Argyle & Sutherland Highlanders, 2nd team v. South China Athletic 2nd team (Caroline Hill), 2.15 p.m. Argyle & Sutherland Highlanders, 1st team v. South China Athletic 1st team (Caroline Hill), 4 p.m.

VARSITY TENNIS.

Inter-Faculty Final to Be Played To-day.

The final of the University Inter-Faculty Tennis Tournament will be played this evening between the Engineers and the Medicals at Pokfulam at 4.30 p.m. The following will play for the Engineers: Prof. F. A. Redmond, L. A. Oppenheim, F. L. Tan, K. M. Lo, H. Z. Hoo and L. A. X. de Silva (capt.).

ARMY TENNIS TOURNEY.

The second round of the Army Tennis Tournament was completed yesterday. Conditions were anything but ideal, the wind at times, causing very erratic play.

Results: Mitchell (R.A.O.C.) beat Knight (R.A.M.C.) 6-4, 6-0; Davies (S.W.B.) beat Norris (R.A.O.C.) 6-2, 4-6, 6-3; Landau and Parkinson (R.A.M.C.) 6-4, 7-5; Ronan (S.W.B.) beat Fretwell (R.E.) 6-2, 6-4.

Doubles: Lewis and Ronan (S.W.B.) beat Landau and Parkinson (R.A.M.C.) 6-1, 6-4; Funnell and Mackay (R.E.) beat Dunn and Norworthy (S.W.B.) 8-10, 6-3; McCall and Davies (R.A.M.C.) beat Tison and Carmichael (R.A.M.C.) 6-2, 8-6; Lewis and Jarman (S.W.B.) beat Flynn and Hestie (A.S.H.) 4-6, 6-4.

PRIDE OF TSINGTAO A "CERT"

Promise of Fine Fields Offers Punters Some Good Selections

(By "Ringtail").

The tenth extra race meeting at the Happy Valley, which had to be postponed last Saturday on account of the weather, will be run off to-morrow.

The first race, which starts at 2 p.m. is the Aggregate Stakes transferred from last week. The principal ponies in the Island Bay Handicap, Pride of Tsingtao, Boxing Eve, Valorous, and Daylight Eve have all been scratched, but there promises to be a field of seven runners. Mr. Leo Frost, our crack jockey, is riding Racing Boy, whilst Wild Life, who was tipped for this race last week, will probably start favourite. Gold Fever is entered, but I have no information about it and am not yet aware who is riding the pony.

Pronostication on the Corroboree Handicap is pretty difficult on account of the heavy impost given Manna and Mermald. The Rainbow put up such a good performance at the last meeting at Macao that it is clear the rest of the field does not seem to have much chance.

NAVY HALL TIP.

For the Big Wave Stakes I offer the same tip as at the last meeting—Navy Hall, but other ponies which must be considered to have a good chance are Deveron, despite the fact that at 161 lbs he is figuring amongst the top weights, and California, which enjoys the following of quite a number of people although the pony has never been placed either in 2nd, or 3rd. The fact that Mr. Frost is riding Wakefield increases the pony's chances in this event, whilst Mon Talisman, White Heather and Snappy Eve cannot altogether be ignored.

Mistletoe carries a fairly big weight (165 lbs.) in the Sub Griffin race, but I don't think this will make much difference as the pony has done well in this class. Chiu Kwan at 160 lbs. also appears to be a good bet, but don't altogether ignore Hevellyn, the pony has a great record. Rain Storm is the quiet tip, but I don't fancy it one bit.

ONE OUT OF THE HAT.

The Plover appeals to me as a good thing for the Junk Bay Handicap, that is if Blue Love, with G. de Roza up, doesn't upset the calculations of this stable. Christmas Joy may start in this event, but the pony has disappointed so often that the least said about it the better. By the way take a good look at Cobu with Mr. Butler up. The weight is 140 lbs. which may influence backers to include in some strategic betting.

From what I can see the Clear Water Handicap race is as good an over with Pride of Tsingtao, who last year annexed the Hongkong Autumn Champions an easy winner.

For the life of me I can't see why Blue Heaven is given top weight in the Picnic Bay Handicap. The pony ran an appalling race at Macao last week, being beaten by a mediocre field. I wouldn't put 10 cents on it. Peachmonts, with Mr. S. W. Yu in the saddle is a big temptation for a sound futter. Easy with the champion novice rider up (Mr. Noronha) is considered an excellent thing as his weight is only 135 lbs., but Valota is running an extremely well lately and that I have a "yes" in the direction of this pony.

In the Junk Bay Handicap, Plover is a distinctly useful pony and might

Army Swimming Gala

R.A. CARRY OFF HONOURS

KEEN COMPETITION

The South China Command aquatic sports meet held in the V.R.C. bath was successfully brought to a close yesterday afternoon.

After the remaining finals had been contested, His Excellency Major General J. W. Sandilands distributed the prizes, at the same time saying a few words of congratulation to the winners. The Royal Artillery finished at the top with an aggregate of 67 points, while the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders followed with 48 points, and the South Wales Borderers with 23 points.

The full results are: Inter Battalion Company Relay:—1, 12th Bty. R.A.; 2, 20th Bty. R.A. Army Boys' Handicap Race:—1, R. Burns; 2, H. Clark. 50 yards free style (Indian):—1, 6th Hongkong Battery, H. K. S. B.; R. A.; 2, A. Company, 20th Jat Regiment. Officers Race:—1, Lt. Musson; 2, Capt. Webb, R.A.

Army Girls' Handicap Race:—1, Miss G. Fleetwood; 2, Miss M. Williams. Indian Relay Race:—1, H. K. S. B., R. A.; 2, 39th Jat Regiment. 100 yards Championship:—1, Bdn. Jameson, A. S. H.; 2, Pte. Campbell, S. W. B. High Diving:—1, Pte. Morrison, S. W. B.; 2, Lt. Musson, R. A.

100 Yards Free Style (Indian):—1, 5th Hongkong Battery, H.K.S.B., R.A.; 2, 1st Mounted Battery, H.K.S.B., R.A. Inter Brigade and Battalion Relay:—1, R.A.; 2, 2/A; 3, S. H. Enlisted Boys' Race:—1, Boy Chapman; 2, Boy Nairn. 25 Yards Dash:—1, Pte. McPhee, A. S. H.; 2, Ashley. Cross Harbour Swim:—1, R.A., Pte. Campbell; 2, S.W.B., Pte. Jameson. Aggregate Result:—1, R. A. 67 points; 2, A. S. H., 48 points; 3, S.W.B., 23 points.

Interport

HONGKONG WIN 3RD GAME

HAMPTON SHOW GOOD FORM

BRADBURY ALSO BOWLS WELL

Shanghai, Sept. 22. Hongkong made a clean sweep of interport bowls series against Shanghai, winning to-day 27 to 13.

The game was won by Bradbury and Hampton, who were two and lead respectively and who left little for Brown and Omar to do except to lay guards. Hongkong bowled with a style much superior to Shanghai and led throughout. Scores by ends:

Dunbar Stables as a Derby griffin is running at 185 lbs. and I certainly think it will be placed. I would advise punters not to place too much confidence in Ajax as it is 11 lbs overweight, but King's Bounty is a honest runner and is worth a stake.

Hockey

NOTES

SEASON'S PROSPECTS REVIEWED

MAMAK COMPETITION SEEKS PERMANENT GROUND

TREMENDOUS GROWTH IN INTEREST

Hockey, now rapidly developing into the most popular sport of the winter season in Hongkong, is already well under way, although the most important competition—the Mamak Shield—does not come into operation until Saturday week.

Sufficient indications have been given in the practice games that keener rivalry and a higher standard of play can be anticipated during the forthcoming season, and below our special correspondent sets down his impressions.

(By "BULLY-OFF").

RUGGERITES IN PREPARATION

PROSPECTS ON PENINSULA

CLUB'S WEAKNESS TO DISAPPEAR

(By "Hooker").

With Hongkong, Kowloon, the Army and Navy and the interport next Chinese New Year, rugby is promised a good season in Hongkong. An influx of new blood among all the clubs should also contribute to some interesting games and all eyes will be on the various fifteens next week when serious training starts.

THE Hongkong Club this year can look forward to strengthening the weakness so obvious last winter, namely, the forwards. Among the newcomers in this department are Hall Thompson, who has played for All-Japan and King, who is said to have represented All-Yokohama. Both are weighty and fast forwards and should prove a big asset. Otherwise the Club will look to last year's stalwarts. Dr. Selby leads the club and has as his vice, McLellan. Training starts on Monday and the first match is scheduled for Saturday October 16.

THE following is the Hongkong Club fixture list for the season:

Saturday	Oct. 15	Sevens (h)
	Oct. 22	—
	Oct. 29	Army (h)
	Nov. 5	Navy (h)
	Nov. 12	Army (a)
	Nov. 19	Navy (h)
	Nov. 26	Navy (h)
	Dec. 3	Army (a)
	Dec. 10	Navy (h)
	Dec. 17	Navy (h)
	Dec. 24	Combined Services (a)
	Dec. 31	Navy (h)
	Jan. 7	Army (h)
	Jan. 14	Navy (h)
	Jan. 21	—
	Jan. 26	Chinese New Year (Interport)
	Feb. 11	S. W. Borderers (a)
	Mar. 11	Sevens (h)

KOWLOON'S first run of the season last night gave little indication of their strength, as, on account of the military aquatics, the Argylles were unable to send out a full team, and the practice had to be confined to two short seven-a-side games which did not reveal much. Kowloon's decision to carry on in face of odds is particularly courageous, for on paper at any rate, they will be below their last year's strength.

THE departure of the Argylles is a hard blow to Kowloon for it will take away Keith Murray and Graham, the experienced men who did so much at three-quarter and forward respectively last season. The three-quarter line will be further weakened by the absence of Dr. Hutchinson, the South African player, whose long kicking marked many a Kowloon game. He has left the Colony.

TORRIBLE, who turned out for the Club last year, and later with Kowloon in the seven-a-side tournament, will probably be playing round the scrum, and should be helpful there, and among other new men are Peart, Martin, Borroux and Maynard. Bonham will not be available until the Hermes returns, but most of last year's forwards will be able

THERE seems to be a tremendous future before the Mamak Hockey Tournament, and, on account of its extraordinary progress this year, I understand that steps are being contemplated with a view to obtaining a grant of land from the Government for the laying out of two hockey pitches to be permanently at the disposal of the tournament committee. This will be a great asset if it materialises and will overcome any difficulty which may now be experienced in the matter of obtaining grounds for the competitive matches.

THE prospects of hockey generally are the brightest since the introduction of the game to the colony. The keenness of the clubs to improve the standard of their play is evinced in the fact that this year twenty-seven teams have entered the Mamak tournament, which commences on October 1st, compared with only seven last season.

THE progress of the competition makes it perfectly obvious that next year the event will have to be run on totally different lines. Two sections must be formed, one for junior and one for senior clubs and towards this end I am informed that Messrs. Mamak and Co. have offered to give another shield for competition.

THE success of the military teams entered in the tournament depends, to a great extent, on the changes in personnel which will take place in November. Some of the teams will then lose valuable members and whether those will be replaced remains to be seen. The Naval entries this year appear to be an unknown quantity with the exception, perhaps, of H. M. S. Parthian who are fielding a very useful side.

THE Incognitos is a team to be watched. They will be served by W. and E. Reed, and, I understand, L. Costin, of the Macao Hockey Club, will be included in their forward line.

IT is anticipated that the Medway will provide many useful players and will go a long way in the competition, while the R.A.S.C., who have shown such tremendously improved form this season and the Hongkong Police, another greatly improved team, are likely to do "big things."

THE Radio Sports Club will be fielding an All Indian team, having loaned the services of A.E.P. Guest, J.T.K. Gilchrist (who have joined forces with St. Andrew's), F. A. Kemp and G. Jack. It is difficult yet to forecast whether this attention will be for better or for worse, and whether it will hamper their chances of retaining the shield which they won last year.

COMPARATIVE new-comers to the game include the German Club, who commenced playing hockey only last year, and the inclusion of H. Sommers, who represented Hamburg in hockey should help them considerably. Another is the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club, and they have a useful combination with Ghulam Mohammed as leader.

ST. Andrew's club combination will be greatly strengthened by the inclusion of Guest, Gilchrist and MacNider, but it is not yet definitely decided whether Guest will occupy his former position at centre-half or will take his place in the attack.

FOR the first time the University enter competitive hockey. They have a promising side, and with the assistance of S. Reed, who played for them last season, in the defence, and O. De Souza as leader

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 24th September, 1932, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

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By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,

Actg. Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th September, 1932.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting is declared abandoned with the exception of the race for the Fifth Aggregate Stakes, which will be incorporated in the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 24th September, 1932.

Entrance Fees and Gate money will be refunded on application.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Elissa Landi did about everything but direct and photograph her latest Fox production, "Devil's Lottery," coming to the King's Theatre on Sunday. She portrayed the leading role, pinched hit for Ruth Warren with and off stage scream, gave technical advice regarding the furnishings of some of the English settings and customs of British society and her voice is heard among the villagers who murmured against her in one scene.

Muttering against one's self in a motion picture is something new, but there is always something new in making screen entertainment. It happened this way: When Miss Landi and Alexander Kirkland leave the coroner's court, the assembled crowd voices its opinion of her in low, rumbling tones. During the filming of this scene, the villagers murmured, but the volume of sound was not satisfying to Sam Taylor, the director. Volunteer murmurs were called for and actors who were not in the scene, technicians and others, joined the voices of the extras and Miss Landi, herself, led the mob in muttering against herself.

"The Devil's Lottery" is based on Nabro Bartley's widely read novel and was adapted for the screen by Guy Bolton. Victor McLaglen plays the most important male role and others in the cast are Paul Cavanagh, Percy Mercer, Barbara Weeks, Ralph Morgan, Halliwell Hobbes and Herbert Mundin.

"The Strange Case of Clara Deane" The adage that there is a silver lining in every cloud is strikingly demonstrated in the case of Wynne Gibson, who plays the role of Clara Deane, which is showing at the King's Theatre to-day. She began her theatrical life in a succession of "flop" shows, and became a close friend of the sheriff who was sent to close the show. In fact, she opened and closed in so many shows in Boston that she used to regard herself as a "stranded citizen" of that town. Although the long series of unsuccessful plays did not bring her work to the attention of the public, she had excellent roles which gave her invaluable training. Her parts changed so frequently that she gained, in a short period of time, the same experience ordinarily obtained through years in stock. Despite the fact that misfortune dogged many of the stage shows in which she appeared, Dame smiled on Miss Gibson's screen career. She played her first film part for Paramount in New York, in "Nothing But the Truth," and following several seasons of both stage and screen work, came to Hollywood. Her performance as a gunman's "moll" in "The Gang Buster" with Jack Oakie,

life. Featured with her are Pat ("Front Page") O'Brien, Frances Dee and Dudley Digges.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Previous Day.	Yesterday.
Paris	88.9/32	88.5/16
Geneva	17.04	17.05 1/2
Berlin	14.17/32	14.54 1/4
Helsingfors	232 1/2	232 1/2
Oslo	10 1/2	10 1/2
Athens	562 1/2	567 1/2
Milan		67 1/2
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	1/9 1/2	1/9 1/2
New York	3.40 1/2	3.40 1/2
Amsterdam	8.61 1/2	8.61
Vienna	20 1/2	11 1/2
Prague	42.3/16	42 1/2
Bucharest	587 1/2	587
Hongkong	1/4	1/4 1/4
Brussels	24.29/32	24.95
Stockholm	19.50	19.50
Copenhagen	19.9/32	19.19/32
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5.3/16	5.3/16
Bombay	1/6.5/32	1/6.5/32
Yokohama	1/4 1/4	1/4 1/4
Montevideo	3.86 1/2	3.85
Belgrade	225	227 1/2
Silver (spot)	17.11/16	18.1/16
" (forward)	17.13/16	18.3/16

—British Wireless.

21 YEARS AGO

EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended September 23rd 1911.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 9 1/2d.

The final arrangements were made for the opening of the Chinese section of the Canton-Kowloon Railway.

At the annual meeting of the Hongkong Cricket League, Dr. Atkinson was appointed President. Mr. W. D. Braidwood Vice President and Mr. A. E. Asger Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

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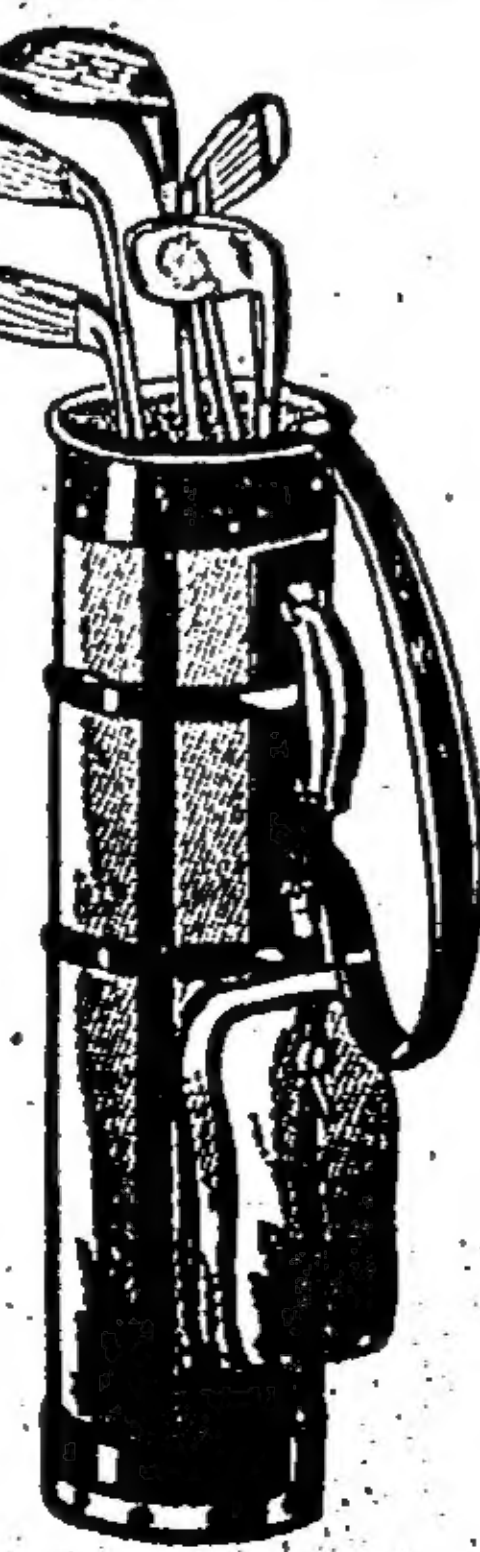
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YO! HO! HO!

(Continued from Page 6.)

their teeth down to the gums on

him.

She plunged on, the wind

whistling through her stays (we're

on the ship now, make no mistake

about that!) "HAI HAI!" roared

the skipper, whiffing through his

pipe. (We're beginning to like

doing this. Don't stop us).

Next day he was found lashed

to a drifting spar. Which shows

you what you get for whiffing

through your pipe scornfully.

Meanwhile, drifting in an open

boat the dying bosun eats woevils

which taste strangely of biscuit.

"Land! Land!" he screams con-

ventionally. In a moment he was

in the boiling surf. (But what's

this to do with the improvement

to navigation . . . Shut up!) The

frail craft ground sickeningly on

the reef, and in the morning

(Listen! What . . . Be Quiet!) He

woke with the glaring tropic sun

on his face, being eaten by crabs,

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women who had been wrecked on

this island three years before, and

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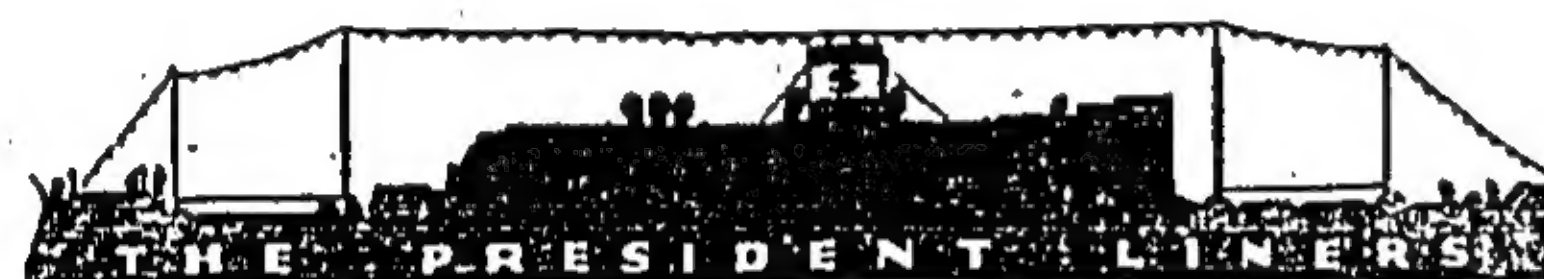
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COLONY'S FINANCES.

MEMORANDUM BY THE COLONIAL TREASURER

In a memorandum by the Hon. Mr. Edwin Taylor, the Colonial Treasurer, laid on the table at yesterday's Council meeting the following appears in regard to 1933:

The estimated revenue for 1933 amounts to \$34,001,575, an increase of \$11,005 over the estimates for 1932. No additional taxation has been proposed. As a result of the general overhaul of taxation undertaken during 1931 referred to in paragraph 6 above, certain increases in fees and licences did not become effective until late in 1931 and during the earlier part of 1932, and consequently could not be included in revenue figures of the 1932 printed estimate. This error is in the footnotes, to indicate that the receipts for 1933 are anticipated to be higher than the estimated receipts for 1932.

The import duty on liquor and tobacco shows a falling off due to the higher rate at which exchange has been estimated for 1933 as compared with 1932. The excise duty on locally manufactured liquor is, however, estimated at rather more than in 1932 as the import duty affords a slight preference to this trade. The Opium Monopoly shows a large decline. Assessed Taxes (rates) and Water Excess Supply and Meter Rents are growing yearly. The estimated receipts from the Entertainment Tax have been reduced for 1933 having been over-estimated in 1932. Post Office receipts both on account of Postage and Radio Message Fees were over-estimated for 1932, the anticipated revenue from the increased postal rates not having materialised and there has also been a large decline in the number of parcels despatched. The passenger service of the Railway continues to grow owing to the speeding up of the time to Canton due to the new Superheated Locomotives. Land Sales are falling off and the estimated receipts for 1933 are placed at the same figure as the revised estimate for 1932.

Expenditure is estimated in 1933 at a total of \$35,199,247 as under:

Ordinary Expenditure \$31,031,324
 Extraordinary Expenditure 3,667,923
 Total 34,699,247

Special Expenditure from Surplus Balances 500,000

\$35,199,247 and for purposes of conversion the dollar has been taken at a sterling value of 1s.2d. throughout. The following is a summary of the estimated Revenue and Expenditure for 1933:

Revenue.
 Ordinary \$32,702,575
 Land Sales 1,300,000
 Total \$34,002,575

Expenditure.
 Ordinary \$31,031,324
 Extraordinary 3,667,923
 Total \$34,699,247

This shows a deficit on the year's working of \$696,672 in addition to which a further \$500,000 on account of the Naval Arsenal has to be met from Surplus Balances. The total estimated deficit for the year is, therefore, \$1,196,672.

Assets and Liabilities.

Authority has however been obtained to charge the above sum of \$500,000 to Surplus Balances and in time it is expected to recover the cost of the Naval Arsenal but not until it is handed over. Past experience has almost invariably shown that there are large savings and under expenditure which will more than cover the deficit of \$696,672 as shown in the printed estimates. The aim has been to maintain our surplus at well over \$10,000,000.

The anticipated excess of Assets over Liabilities at the close of the year 1933 is arrived at as under:

Actual Excess as at 1/1/32 \$11,347,029
 Revised Estimate of Revenue 1932 32,162,074
 Total 43,509,103

Revised Estimate of Expenditure 1932 32,812,803

Estimated Excess at 31/12/32 10,696,299

Estimated Revenue 1933 34,002,575

Estimated Expenditure 1933 34,699,247

Estimated Excess of Assets over Liabilities at 31/12/33 \$10,303,328

The revenue estimates for 1933 have been drawn up on the assumption that revenue will be maintained as heretofore. There is no sign or portent as yet of any decrease. Should these appear during 1933 it



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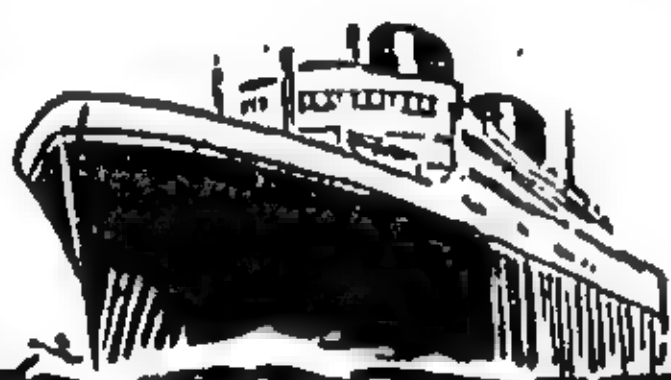
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COLONY'S FINANCES.

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of a portion of the site of the present Government Civil Hospital. Such receipts, however, cannot be expected for some years and Government meanwhile must finance both building and equipment. For the latter service a figure has as yet not been given. The programme of Public Works Extraordinary estimated at a total of \$3,867,923 is of a very varied nature and moreover is one on which in case of necessity work on many of the items can be stopped without detriment to the work already completed. Furthermore many of the works will not be commenced until well into the year when the financial position can be seen with more certainty. Subject to the reservation noted above as to the revenue for 1933 it is not considered that the expenditure shown in the printed estimates is beyond the resources of the Colony.

Loan Works.

Surplus balances have been drawn on in anticipation of a future loan and on 30th June, 1932, the total amount advanced was as under:

Aerodrome (Net—credits deducted)	\$297,469
Vehicular Ferry	612,140
Aberdeen Water Scheme	1,970,029
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, 1st section	441,323
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, Filters	103,150
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, 2nd section	24,054
New Gaol at Wong Ma Kok	820
	3,440,586

Anticipated Expenditure during the six months ending 31st December 1932	1,361,454
Total	\$4,811,039

As the actual expenditure from surplus balances at 31/12/31 was \$3,484,014 the additional sum required this year amounts to \$1,327,025 and the liquid resources of the Colony should be able to stand this without borrowing.

Three new items appear in the Schedule

- The Shing Mun Valley Scheme (2nd Section)—Gorge Dam—estimated at \$9,200,000. The expenditure on this work during 1932 is estimated at approximately \$75,000.
- Typhoon Tug Catchwaters estimated at \$690,000 spread over two years of which \$300,000 is anticipated to be spent in 1933. Approval is required before this can be proceeded with.
- Shing Mun Valley Scheme (2nd Section).—Preliminary Works—although new to the Schedule has previously been charged against 1st Section and was shown as such in Appendix VII (A) of the 1932 Estimates. It is considered that this item being part of the 2nd Section should be transferred and shown separately and this has accordingly been done and formal approval will be asked.

The anticipated cost of loan works during 1933 is shown as \$2,834,308, the largest item being \$1,525,000 on account of the Gorge Dam. This figure has been supplied by the Consulting Engineers, and its expenditure entirely depends on the progress of the work. Experience has shown that the total estimated yearly expenditure for loan works in the past has greatly exceeded actual cash requirements and unless 1933 is to be an exception the amount of \$2,834,308 will be in excess of actual payments, \$2,400,000 is, therefore, being allowed by the Treasury. The question of financing these loan works is receiving very careful consideration but at the moment no announcement can be made.

THE POLICE FORCE INSPECTION

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Sub-Inspector A. Kirby for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances at West Point on September 28th, 1931.
Lance Sergeant W. E. Meadows for excellent work in the Criminal Investigation Department.
Lance Sergeant D. C. W. Fitches for excellent work in the Criminal Investigation Department.
Ex-P. C. J. Drewery (Prison's Dept.) for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances.
A.S.O. A. I. Cash (Fire Brigade) for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances.
I.L.S. All Mohamed for excellent work as Drill Instructor at the Police Training School.
P. C. Lau Fuk for diligent and zealous work in the Criminal Investigation Department.
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Bellicios Medals.

L. S. Fazal Ahmed awarded a Bellicios Medal (Bronze), and the sum of \$5.00 for the rescue of Lal Sul Wan who attempted to commit suicide by jumping off the Tsim Sha Teul Pier on 21.5.32.
Scout Master Lau Hung Chon awarded a Bellicios Medal (Silver), and the sum of \$50.00 for bravery and prompt assistance in saving life and property, before the arrival of the Fire Brigade, at a fire which broke out at the Kwong Hing Loong Cotton Quilt Makers Shop, No. 188 Shanghai Street, on January 9th.
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L. S. B. 14 Chanchal Singh \$10 Indian & W.H.W. Rifle Championship, 1929.
Sub-Inspector Carey—Cup for European Revolver championship, 1930.
Lance Sergeant Russell—Cup for European Revolver Handicap, 1930.
Insp. Booker—Cup for European Revolver Handicap (2nd prize).
Lance Sergeant Russell—Replica of Sir E. Stubbs' Cup, 1930.
L. S. Chanchal Singh \$10, Indian Revolver Championship, 1930.
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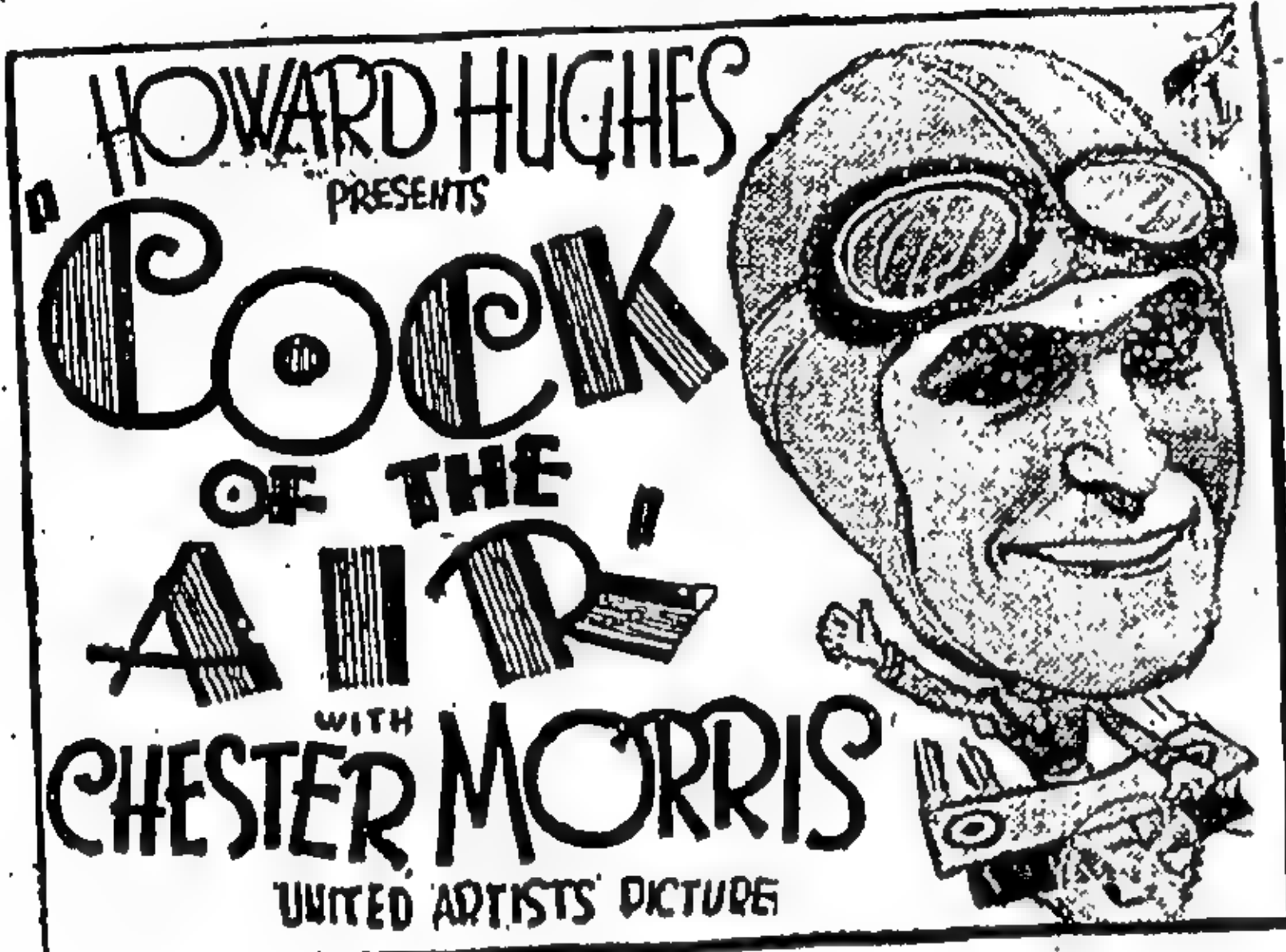
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FINED

FIRE APPLIANCE OBSTRUCTED

Convicted of failing to give way
to a fire appliance, which was on
its way to a land collapse in Village
Road, on September 3, the driver
of a Hongkong Hotel bus who ap-
peared before Mr. Schofield at the
Central Police Court this morning
was fined \$10. The defendant
denied the offence.

Evidence was given by Mr. J. W.
Woodward, officer of the Fire
Brigade, who was in charge of the
appliance. He said that at 2.51
p.m. on September 3 a message was
received at the Central Fire
Station of a collapse in Village Road
where two persons were buried
under a quantity of earth. The
appliance was proceeding along
Queen's Road and just east of
Murray Road he caught up to a
bus which was travelling near the
centre of the road. The appliance
followed the bus for a distance of
over 20 yards, sounding the siren
and ringing the bell the whole
time.

It was not until opposite the
Garrison Sergeants' Mess that the
bus stopped and allowed the ap-
pliance to pass. The bus could
have given way either before or
after passing the Naval Yard en-
trance.

Witness remarked, in reply to
his Worship, that it was possible
for the appliance to have gone
to the extreme right-hand side of
the road, but they did not like do-
ing that owing to the oncoming
traffic. To make the defendant
give way the siren and bell were
being sounded furiously. It was
possible for the warning to be
heard, he thought, half a mile
away. He did not know whether it
was that people were reluctant to
give way to a fire appliance, but
they had had a lot of trouble in
passing traffic. It was for this
reason that the present summons
was taken out.

NOT FOR CARS.

It was emphasised by Mr. Scho-
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ly, the garriisons have remained
sitting tight in these two cities.

The Swatow newspapers report
that 2,000 troops are being sent to
reinforce these garriisons.—Our
Own Correspondent.

that the stand in Connaught Road
between the Star Ferry Pier and
Blake Pier was reserved entirely
for chairs and rickshaws and not for
the use of private cars.

Mr. R. Y. Frost and Mr. Yew
Man-Kit were each fined \$5 for
causing an obstruction by parking
their cars on the stand opposite
Blake Pier.

Several drivers appeared before
his Worship on summonses for
carrying too many people and ex-
cessive loads. In the majority of
cases the defendants were each
fined \$10, but in other fines of \$20
were imposed.

When the driver of a Public
Works Department lorry was sum-
moned for carrying 35 workmen,
being 29 in excess to the number
allowed, his Worship imposed a
fine of \$20. It was stated that the
defendant was conveying work-
men to the Public Garden Reser-
voir.

OTHER CASES.

On a summons accusing him of
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Probate in the will of Mr. Omar
Kitchell, sharebroker late of 34,
Leighton Hill Road, has been granted
to Mr. Armin Kitchell, sharebroker,
power being reserved until Sakina
Razack Kitchell should apply for and
obtain a warrant. The estate is
valued at \$65,100. Letters of ad-
ministration in the will of Mr. Cheng
Chuk-sun, merchant, late of Ping
Nam village, have been granted to
his widow, the value of the estate is
\$14,800.

tion, the driver of public car was
fined \$20, it being stated that both
buses had to pull up to avoid an
accident.

The driver of a public car which
was returning from Shek O was
fined \$20 for taking a corner at
an excessive speed, while the
driver of another public car was
fined \$25 for swerving suddenly
to the left-hand side of Stubbs
Road after having passed an
Austin Seven, causing the latter
vehicle to be pulled in hard against
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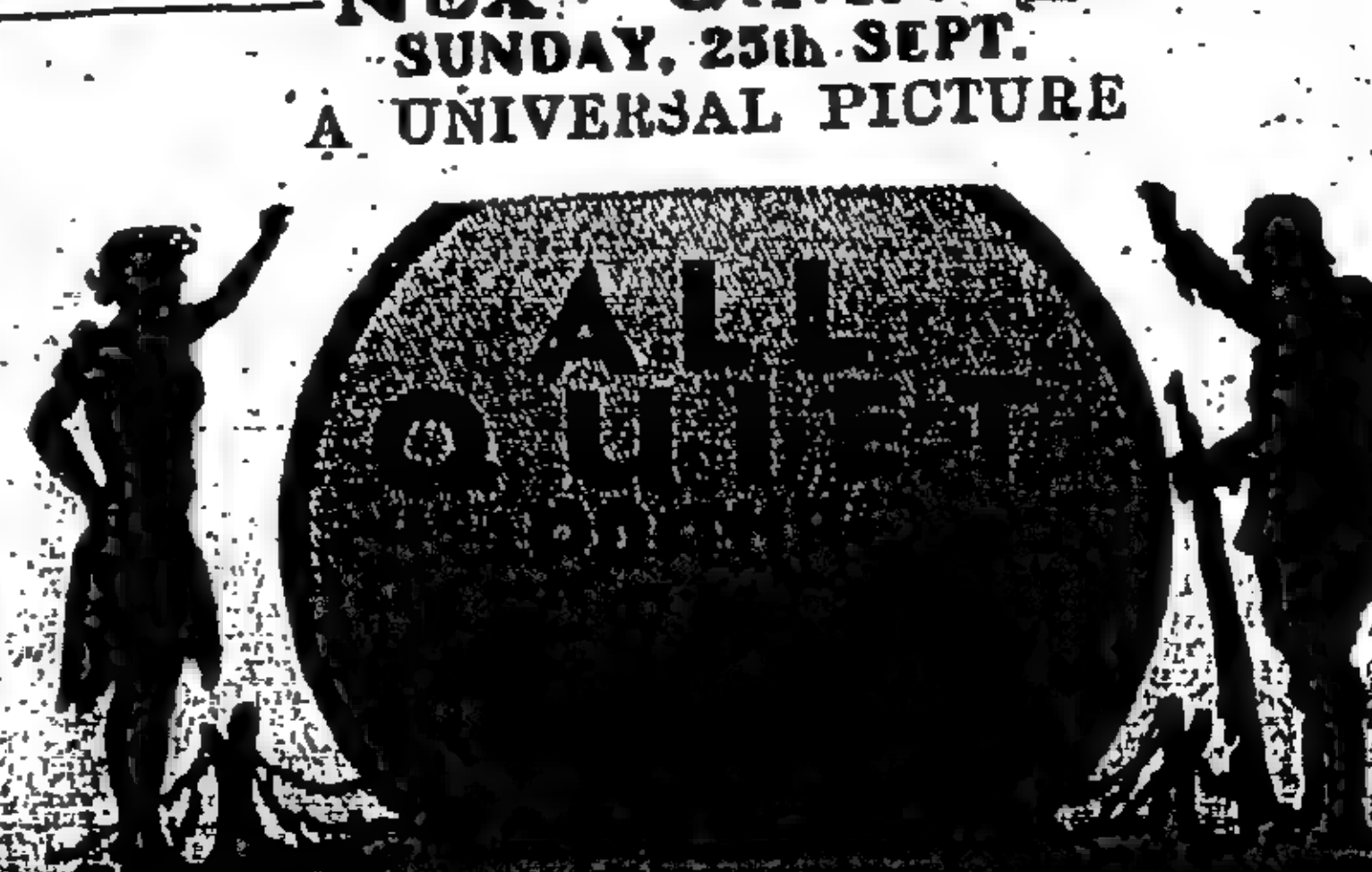
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MORE UNEMPLOYED RIOTS IN LIVERPOOL

Demonstrators in an Ugly Mood Following Clashes

PRINCE FLIES THROUGH A GALE

BY AIR-LINER TO COPENHAGEN

BRIEF LANDING IN GERMANY

London, Sept. 22. The Prince of Wales, with his suite in the Imperial Airways liner "Heracles", reached Copenhagen safely at 6.18 this evening.

During the latter part of the journey, the air liner had been escorted by fifteen Danish naval and military aircraft.

The Prince was the first to leave the air-liner and was immediately greeted by the Crown Prince Frederik. Other members of the Danish Royal Family and many distinguished figures in Danish public life, together with the British Minister, Sir Thomas Høhler, and other officials were present.

BAD WEATHER.

The Prince received also a most enthusiastic greeting from a crowd of many thousands assembled at Kastrup Aerodrome.

Weather conditions had somewhat retarded the Prince's arrival. After leaving Croydon this morning, strong headwinds reaching gale force had been encountered over the Channel and this made the journey longer than expected.

The liner landed at Amsterdam, where the Prince had a light lunch before the journey was continued to Hamburg, where he again landed for a short while. It was the first occasion on which the Prince had set foot on German soil since the war.

GREAT CROWDS.

Most of the members of the British Colony were among the great crowd assembled at the aerodrome to greet him.

After a forty minutes' halt, the giant plane set off on the last stage of the flight. The Prince is expected to remain at Copenhagen for about a week and will, during this time, a private visit to the King and Queen of Denmark. When he opens the British Exhibition on Saturday, he will be accompanied by the Crown Prince of Denmark. At the end of the month, the Prince will pay his first visit to Stockholm and will be the guest of the King and Queen of Sweden.—British Wireless.

NO BUS STRIKE IN LONDON

NEW TERMS FINALLY ACCEPTED

London, Sept. 23.

There will be no bus strike in London to-morrow. The busmen have declared for peace, though the majority was by no means overwhelming.

The delegate conference last night accepted the company's new terms by 39 votes to 21. The terms do not involve any reduction in salaries, but concern modifications in the conditions of employment, including the speeding up of the services.—Reuter.

VON GRONAU OFF AGAIN

LEAVES JAPAN FOR SHANGHAI

Tokyo, Sept. 23.

The German airman, von Gronau, who was arrested in Japan, has been released and is expected to leave for Shanghai.



His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G.) inspecting the Hongkong Police Force yesterday. He is accompanied by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police. (Photo: A. Fong.)

FOREIGNERS FORCED TO FLEE

HAN MENACING LAICHOW

HEAVY FIGHTING

Chefoo, Sept. 23.

All foreign residents of Laichow, on the Shantung Peninsula, have been compelled to take flight to Chefoo owing to fighting between Han Fu-chu and Liu Chen-nien.

General Han Fu-chu's apparent object is to maintain his left flank from Laichow to the sea, meanwhile attempting an encircling movement on the right flank beyond Pingtu.

General Han's eastern forces are reported to be operating via Tsimio, and are said to be approaching the fork of the Waiung River, facing General Liu's southern Laiyang front.—Reuter.

BRITAIN OFFERS NAVAL CUTS

IN TOUCH WITH OTHER POWERS

London, Sept. 22.

At the meeting of the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference at Geneva this evening, Sir John Simon said that comprehensive proposals made on the subject of Naval Disarmament had been carefully examined by the British Government, which had established contact with the other great Powers on the matter. He had reason to hope that it might be possible in the near future to initiate an exchange of views.—British Wireless.

BRITISH VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTH RATE SHOWS AN INCREASE

London, Sept. 22.

The birth rate, which had been on the decline in Britain, shows an increase in the returns issued by the Registrar-General for the quarter ended June 30th.

There were, in that period, 165,456 births in England and Wales, 1,098 more than in the corresponding quarter last year, which corresponds to an annual rate of 16.6 per thousand.

THIRD DAY OF FAST

FATEFUL MEETING IN GAOL

GANDHI LIKELY TO ACCEPT NEW PLAN

Poona, Sept. 22.

The fateful conference on the Untouchables' electoral question between Gandhi and the special committee of Caste Hindus and the Depressed Classes leaders, opened and adjourned after two hours.

The delegates, in a brief interview, stated that they had had a long and satisfactory heart-to-heart talk with Gandhi and hoped to return to-morrow with the final settlement.

DISPOSED TO APPROVE.

Gandhi, who has been removed to more convenient quarters in Yeravda Gaol, where he has his own physician in attendance, seems disposed to approve the proposals for an agreed solution of the problem of representation in the legislatures of the Depressed Classes.

The formula under discussion has been drafted in the direction of the Bombay Conference of Caste Hindus and the leaders of the Depressed Classes. High hopes are entertained that an agreement approved by Gandhi may be reached, which would justify the British Government in modifying the terms of the communal award in so far as it affects the Depressed Classes.

In this case Gandhi would presumably break his fast, which is now in its third day.—British Wireless.

DOLLAR REMAINS UNALTERED

IN SPITE OF RISE IN SILVER

Although silver is up both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar remains unaltered today at 1s. 4d. The local market is quiet, and there are expectations of possibly lower silver rates.

In London, silver rose 3/8th. China bought, while India operated both ways. The market closed steady. After the official fixing, the market ruled rather dull, with buyers satisfied.

New York reports silver up a quarter on an irregular market. Futures are down.

Topping off his seat on a lorry in Tai Po Road last evening, Tam Cheung, a coolie, received injuries from which he died shortly after admission to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

Six charges of demanding money with menaces and of receiving stolen goods were preferred against a Chinese man.

BIG CROWD DEFIES POLICE

FLYING SQUAD PELTED WITH MISSILES

SEVERAL INJURED

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

London, Sept. 22.

FRESH OUTBREAKS OF RIOTING OCCURRED IN LIVERPOOL THIS AFTERNOON. THE UNEMPLOYED ARE IN AN UGLY MOOD FOLLOWING A SERIES OF CLASHES WITH THE POLICE AND DEMONSTRATIONS ARE FREQUENT.

The most serious incident of the day occurred in the late afternoon when a crowd of about a thousand gathered in one of Liverpool's principal streets and waving red flags and banners attacking the police, commenced a protest meeting, holding up all traffic.

A large force of police were quickly on the scene and the leaders were informed that they would be charged unless they dispersed within ten minutes. The unemployed stubbornly refused to disperse.

RIOTERS PREPARED FOR FIGHT

Fresh police reinforcements were rushed up on motor-cycle combinations, at which stage it became evident that the unemployed had come prepared for a struggle with the police. The members of the Flying Squad were immediately met with a fusillade of missiles and a number of them were struck and cut with stones.

A series of baton charges were made and the demonstration was broken up. In the course of some sharp scrimmages, several of the rioters were injured about the head.—Reuter

SIR ROBERT HO TUNG HONOURED IN GERMANY

President Confers Red Cross

(Telegraph Special).

Berlin, Sept. 22.

Sir Robert Ho Tung, whose tour of Europe is coming to a close, was honoured by the aged President Hindenburg at the Presidential Palace to-day. Sir Robert and the President engaged in a long talk.

The German Red Cross (First Class) the highest decoration in Germany, has been conferred upon Sir Robert, who to-day also interviewed Captain von Papen, the Chancellor of the Reich.

Later, Sir Robert was entertained at the Foreign Office. Numerous leading bankers, industrialists and educationalists were also present.

The well-known Hongkong magnate was only recently made an Officer of the Legion of Honour in Paris, where he was received by the French Foreign Office and had interesting conversations with M. Herriot and M. Leger.

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Crown Prince Michael.

BOY PRINCE IN DOVER

MICHAEL VISITS MOTHER

(Telegraph Special).

London, Sept. 22.

The boy Crown Prince Michael of Rumania, arrived at Dover to-day on a visit to his mother, the ex-Queen Helen, former wife of King Carol.

The visit is being made in accordance with the separation agreement between King Carol and ex-Queen Helen, which provides that the young Prince shall periodically visit his mother, but that she must not return to Rumania.

Prince Michael, who is 11 years of age, was for a time King of Rumania. He succeeded his grandfather in July, 1927, and remained King until the return to Rumania of his father, in June 1930.—Reuter.

VALUABLE DOGS STOLEN

HAKKA COOLIES MAY BE GUILTY

The following letter has been sent to the Hon. Secretary of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals by Mr. S. Komor:

I beg to inform you that during the last five months I have lost six valuable dogs from my house. Many of my neighbours have also lost their dogs recently, and it has been suggested to me that there are Hakka coolies in Kowloon City who are very fond of dog flesh and that probably they are the culprits.

I have informed the police, and although they have done all they can to trace the dogs I could not expect them to do much without the aid of bloodhounds. I am writing to you in the hope that you will take this serious matter up and shall be glad if you can offer any suggestion to stop this dog thieving. Two of my dogs—one a valuable Alsatian and the other a young chow—were stolen only last week within a few days of each other.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the press in the hopes that other dog fanciers who have lost their pets will also help to find a way to stop these outrages.

"TELEGRAPH" SPORTS FEATURES

Starting from to-day, the Telegraph is featuring every Friday authoritative notes and comments by special contributors dealing with every branch of winter sports in Hongkong. On page 2 will be found reports of the various events.

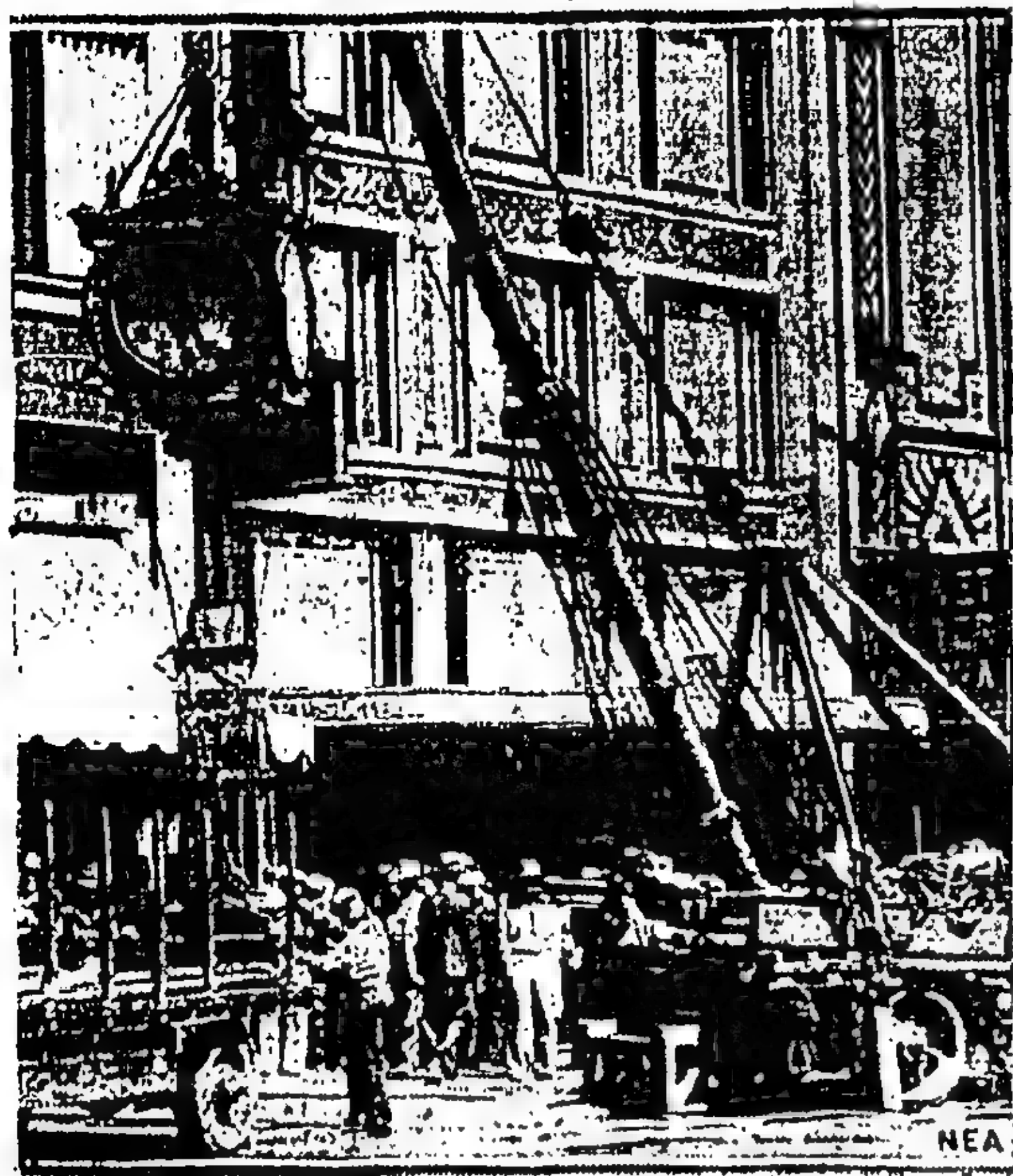
MACHRAY TRIAL

THEFT OF UNIVERSITY TRUST FUNDS

FOURTEEN YEARS' SENTENCE

Winnipeg, Sept. 22. Mr. John Machray, a leading figure in Canadian educational and religious circles over a considerable number of years, to-day pleaded guilty to the theft of \$5900,000, from the funds of Manitoba University, and also of \$860,000 from his former law partner.

He was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude on each charge. Mr. Machray is suffering from cancer and is not expected to live for more than a few months. He



The "Mooney alibi clock"—which figured in all the vain proceedings to secure the freedom of the man serving a life sentence for the San Francisco Preparedness Day bomb blast of 1916—has been removed from Market st. the jewellers firm maintaining the clock having gone out of business. Photographs taken from a roof across the street showed the Mooneys on the roof, and the clock indicating a time five minutes before the explosion, which took place a mile away.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, marries Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter, after a quarrel with her parents. It is a Leap Year marriage and Cherry does the proposing.

She and Dan move into a cheap apartment and Cherry's first struggles with housework are discouraging. Miss Shanghai, movie critic of the News, is friendly. Cherry meets handsome Max Pearson, also of the News, who tries to make love to her.

Brenda Vail, magazine writer, comes to Wellington and Dan meets her. She asks him to collaborate in writing a play. Dan begins to spend most of his evenings at Miss Vail's apartment. Discord arises between Cherry and Dan. He agrees to meet her for lunch one day but fails to appear. Later she sees him with Brenda. When Cherry accuses Dan of deceiving her they quarrel. He leaves the apartment and when he returns Cherry is gone. A week passes in which he does not hear from her.

Dan gives up his job, preparing to go to New York with Brenda. He discovers a story he has written published in a magazine under Brenda's name. When asked for an explanation she flies into a rage, admits she told the story. Brenda tells Dan she is going to Hollywood to write for motion pictures and that she is through with him forever. While they are talking a man who believes in representing the film company arrives. It is Max Pearson who has perpetrated this hoax to show up Brenda's true character. She is furious. Dan and Max leave together. Alarmed of his folly and thoroughly repentant, Dan sets out to find Cherry.

CHAPTER XLVII

Pearson repeated Dan's words. "You've got to find her? Why— isn't Cherry at home?"

"I haven't seen her for a week," Phillips admitted. "Cherry and I had a row. Oh, it was my fault! My fault altogether! I've got to find her and tell her I know that now."

"But where is she?" Dan did not answer. They had reached the intersection of two important thoroughfares just as the traffic lights flashed red. There was a drug store on the opposite corner. Dan touched Pearson's arm.

"Let me out here," he said. "I've got to telephone to Cherry."

"But if you don't know where she is how can you do that?"

"I'm going to call her home—I mean her parents' home. That's where she must be. Want to ask her if I can come out and talk to her. Don't you understand, Max? I've got to see Cherry! I've got to tell her a lot of things!"

Pearson rubbed his head. "We'll have to try again. Who are Cherry's friends, Dan? Who could she be with if she hasn't left town?"

"I've told you a dozen times I can't think of anyone! Dixie Shannon didn't even know she was gone. There isn't anybody—"

"But there must be!" Suddenly Pearson's fist hit the desk. "Look here, Dan, this may be serious! Has it occurred to you that Cherry's an heiress? Her father's money—have you thought of that?"

"What do you mean?"

"I mean anything may have happened in a week's time! A beautiful girl—wealthy—has been missing for seven days. Nobody knows what's become of her. Her parents—the servants at her home—not a person she might have been expected to communicate with has heard a word from her. How do you know she isn't been kidnapped? Maybe there's been an accident! Why, in a week's time—"

"Say it! Say anything you want to! I'll admit I deserve all you're thinking about me. Tell me I've been a damned fool! I don't care what you say if you'll help me find her. She must be here in Wellington. She wouldn't go away!"

"Why not? How about her parents? Maybe she's with them."

Dan shook his head. "I don't think so," he said. "Cherry's proud. I don't think she'd go to her parents and—well, admit that she'd made a mistake. I thought she'd come back or at least send some word. When she didn't I decided she really meant what she said—about being through with me."

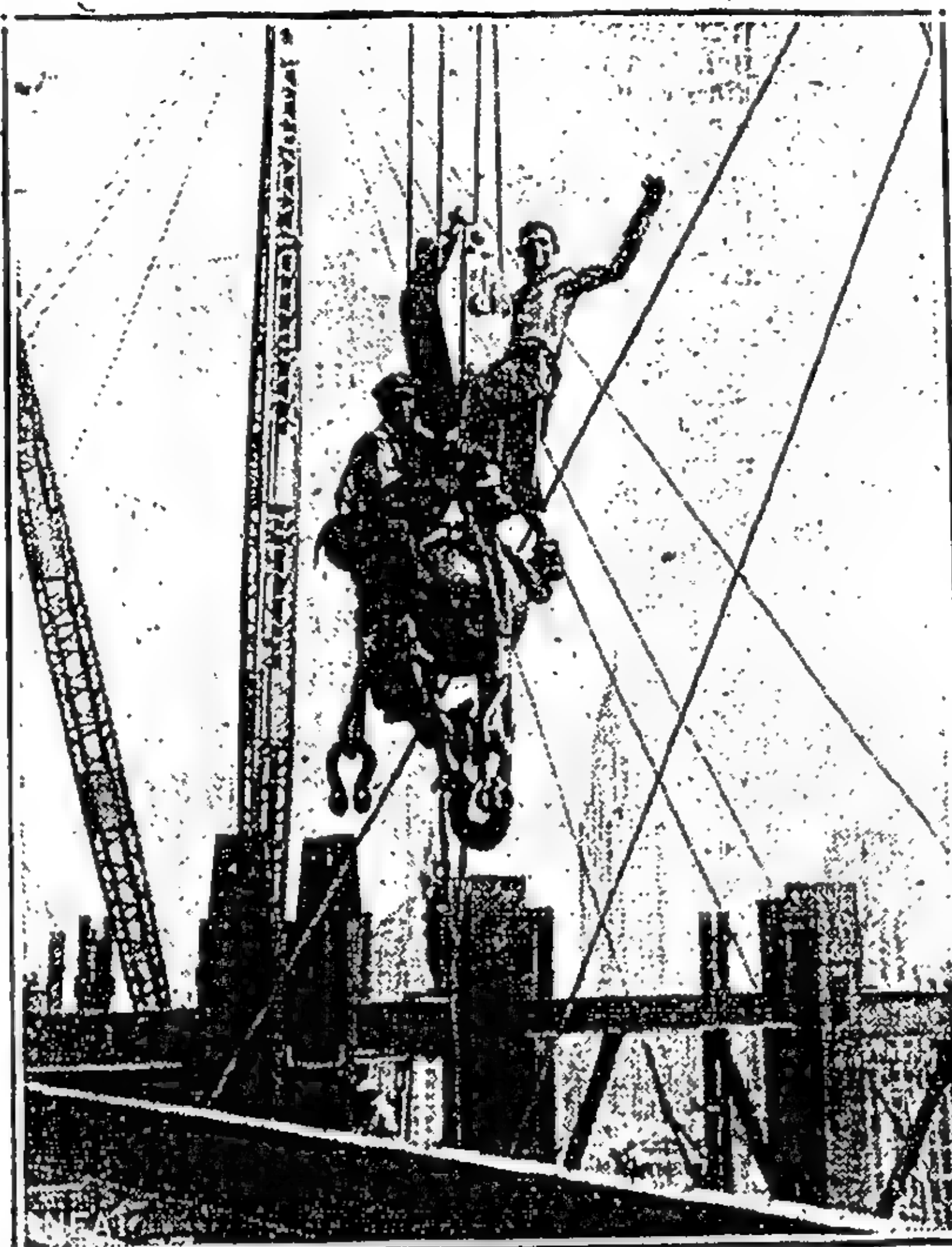
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Their faces sober with the realization of the tragic fate which they narrowly escaped, the only survivors among the officers and crew of the sunken French submarine *Prometheus* are shown here during memorial services held in honour of their 93 comrades who met death in the disaster. High government officials looked on as a benediction was pronounced and flowers were strewn over the spot, off Cherbourg, where the submarine foundered.



Human spiders upon a web of steel, sun-bronzed workmen greet the photographer from a new vantage point on the world-famed Manhattan skyline. It's the framework of the new 70-story RCA building—largest though not the tallest structure in the world—which is soaring into the clouds from the heart of the \$250,000,000 Rockefeller development.



Senorita Helena Araujo, who caused a sensation in Paris recently by appearing everywhere in man's attire. She is the daughter of the San Salvador President.

the boy asked.

Max was tearing the envelope open. Dan sprang to his side and together they read the words:

"Sixty-five per week agreeable stop can you report here Saturday."

The message was signed with the name of the city editor of an eastern newspaper. Pearson crumpled the sheet into his coat pocket.

The boy asked, "Any answer?" Pearson hesitated an instant.

"Not now," he said and was on his way to the telephone booth.

There were no reports from Wellington hospitals of accident cases or patients who could be identified as Cherry Phillips. Dan and Max tried the hotels but the effort was equally unavailing.

Suddenly Dan sprang up. He caught Pearson's shoulder. "I've

Watch For

DREAM OF DESTINY

by Arnold Bennett.

Just thought of something!" he cried eagerly. "Yes—I'll bet that's where she is, Max! Why didn't I think of it before—?"

"I'll bet she's with Sarah—the woman who used to take care of her when she was a little girl. Sarah O'Fallon, that's her name!"

"Where is this woman? Let's get hold of her."

"I don't know where she is."

"But—"

Dan's mouth was drawn in a tight, hard line. His face was colourless, his voice sharpened. "I don't know where she is," he said, "but I'll find her. Sarah left when the Dixons closed their house last summer. She's somewhere not far from here. Cherry used to get letters! That's it—there must be letters—Come, Max!"

It was a single flight up the street level. Hatless, half-running, the two men reached the street.

They sprang into a cab and Dan gave the address of the apartment. It was Dan suddenly who was taking the initiative, who was giving orders and directing the search.

"I don't know what you're going to do!" Max reminded him.

"We're going out to the house to look for Cherry's letters. There must be some from Sarah. They'll give us the address."

"Dan, I think it would be a lot



The dentist's usual request to "open wider, please" was hardly necessary when an operation was performed to remove two aching molars from the mouth of Maud, aged Zoo elephant recently.

PREPARING GETAWAY.

LIU SEIZES STEAMERS TO ASSIST IN ESCAPE

Tsinan, Sept. 22.

It is officially stated that Gen. Liu Chen-nien's right wing at Laichow has been defeated and has retreated to Lungkow. The left wing is digging strong positions at Chihsia for a last stand.

Two Chinese steamers at Chiofoo are reported to have been seized to enable Gen. Liu to escape if his position becomes untenable.—Reuter.

the building, hurrying up the long staircase.

Dan had whipped his keys from his pocket. He was fumbling in the half-darkness, trying to fit the key into the lock, when something caught his attention. He looked

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 Chi Kok Road, Tong Mi Road,
 Arran Street, Nullah Road, Fa
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 WEDNESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER,
 1932, at NOON, to pass the Direc-
 tors' Report and Accounts, to elect
 retiring Directors and Auditors, to
 declare a Dividend, and to
 transact any other Ordinary
 Business of the Company.
 The TRANSFER BOOKS of the
 Company will be CLOSED from
 the 25th to the 28th day of
 SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days in-
 clusive.

Dated the 19th day of Septem-
 ber, 1932.
 By Order of the Board,
 CHAS. S. ROSSELET,
 Secretary.

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NOTICE.

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Mr. A. A. R. Botelho.

By order of the Committee,
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Hongkong, 20th September, 1932.

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 airships and helicopters which rise from and land on
 the roofs of buildings in the heart of the City;
 television in every home and employed for the
 broadcasting of news; the Channel Tunnel in
 operation; the night club of the future
 with its mechanical instruments for
 jazz music and lady fencers as
 cabaret turns; fashions of 1950,
 with plus fours for the women
 and soft silk shirts and knee
 breeches for the men.



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THE MEAD SHIELD
DRAW

The draw for the Mead Shield, which
 is restricted to golfing members of
 the Kowloon Cricket Club and is to
 be played at the Kowloon Golf Club
 on Sunday, 25th inst., is given below.
 The competition is on medal play
 over 18 holes in the morning. Four-
 somes in the afternoon will be arranged
 at the Club House for those
 players who remain for tea.

9 a.m. F. Goodwin (16) & C. W. L.
 Cole (18).

9.5 a.m. H. W. Page (14) & H.
 Ovary (13).

10.10 E. F. Fincher (18) & W.
 Goldenberg (24).

9.15 J. B. McGee (18) & V. C.
 Lebrun (16).

9.20 J. S. Smith (16) & F. E.
 Lawrence (24).

9.25 S. Jex (16) & W. C. Simp-
 son (18).

9.30 C. W. Jeffries (18) & H. E.
 Stone (13).

9.35 W. A. Stewart (9) & A.
 Urquhart (10).

9.40 E. S. Abraham (18) &
 E. K. Price (16).

R.A. Headquarters notify that fire-
 ing will be carried out from Stone-
 cutters between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. on
 Tuesday September 27th, in the area
 north of Kau-I-Chau and south of
 Kap Sing Mun Pass.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local
 share quotations called to-day:

Banks.
 Hongkong Bank, \$1695 b.
 Hongkong Lon. Reg. \$115 n.
 Chartered Bank, \$137½ n.
 Mercantile Bank, A. & B.
 \$224 n.
 Mercantile Bank C., \$9½ n.
 Last Asia, \$109 n.
 Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n.
 China O. Fin. Ord., \$14 n.
 China O. Fin. Pre. \$14.60 n.
 Insurance.
 Canton Ins., \$1410 n.
 Union Ins. \$500 n.
 China Underwriters, \$285 b.
 China Fire, \$820 n.
 H. K. Fire Ins., \$1200 n.
 International Asse. \$14 b.
 Shipping.
 Douglas, \$25 n.
 H.K. Steamships, \$25 b.
 Indo-China, (1st), \$46 n.
 Indo-China (2nd), \$32 n.
 Shell (Bearer), \$3/9 n.
 Union Waterboats, \$20½ b.
 Mining.
 Benguet, \$18 b.
 Kailash, \$2/9 n.
 Langkai (Single), \$14 n.
 S'hai Explorations, \$2.10 n.
 S'hai Loans, \$12.30 n.
 Raub, \$40½ n.
 Venz Goldfields, \$2.90 b.
 Benguet Exp., 20 cts. n.
 Stocks, etc.
 H.K.K. Wharves, \$142 b.
 H.K.
 S. China Motor A., \$10 n.
 S. China Motor B., \$8 n.
 Providents (old), \$4.85 b.
 Providents (New), \$2.30 n.
 Hongkows, \$12 2/3 n.
 New Engineering, \$15 5/8 n.
 Shanghai Docks, \$14 9/10 n.
 Lands, Hotels, etc.
 Hotels (old), \$12 b.
 Hotels (new), \$11.40 b.

"TELEGRAPH" ART
SUPPLEMENT

Topical Pictures
 To-morrow
 To-morrow's issue of the
 Telegraph Pictorial Supplement
 will contain an interest-
 ing selection of topical pic-
 tures, together with the com-
 mended amateur photographs
 in our recent competition.

Weddings illustrated will
 be those of Mr. J. F. Shea and
 Miss G. A. Chan, Mr. Wong
 Chung-tak and Miss Choi
 Chung-ning, and Mr. Chan
 Tat-sang and Miss Soo Kit-
 sang.

There will also be groups
 taken at the St. Andrew's
 Club hockey dinner, at the
 banquet given by Mr. and Mrs.
 Loo Wing-Kit to the Governor
 of Macao, and of the S.C.A.
 girls' volleyball team.

H.K. Lands, \$74½ b.
 S'hai Lands, \$14 3/4 n.
 Metropolitan Lands, \$10 n.
 Humphreys, \$16 n.
 H.K. Realities, \$9 b.
 Asia Realities "A", \$140 n.
 Asia Realities "B", \$28 n.
 Chinese Estates, \$10 n.
 China Realities, \$11.40 n.
 China Debutantes, \$14 9/10 n.
 Cottons.
 Ewo Cottons, \$14.10 b.
 S'hai Cottons, \$14.63 n.
 Zong Sing, \$11.10 n.
 Wing On Textiles (S), \$145 n.
 Public Utilities.
 Tramway, \$21.90 b.
 Peak Trams (old) \$18 n.
 Peak Trams (new), \$8 n.
 Star Ferries \$19 n.
 Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35½ n.
 Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34 b.
 China Lights (old), \$17.65 b.
 China Lights (new), \$17.10 b.
 H.K. Electric, \$75 b.
 Macao Electric, \$24 n.
 Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.
 Telephones (P.P.), \$28 n.
 China Buses, \$14.10 n.
 Singapore Tractors, 2/- n.
 Singapore Pref., 14/- n.
 Industrials.
 Malabar Sugars, \$27½ n.
 Cold: Macg. (Ord.), \$15.14 n.
 Cold: Macg. (Prof.), \$15.10½ n.
 Canton Ice, \$6 n.
 Cements (Com.), \$14.40 b.
 Cements (old), \$10½ n.
 Cements (new), \$3½ n.
 H.K. Ropes, \$12 n.
 Agricultural, \$10½ n.
 Stores, etc.
 Dairy Farms, \$27.50 n.
 Watsons (old), \$12.10 n.
 Watsons (new), \$12 n.
 Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.
 Sincere, \$16 n.
 Lane Crawfords, \$5.25 b.
 Mackintosh, \$21 n.
 Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.
 Wing On (H.K.), \$240 n.
 Miscellaneous.
 Amusements \$10½ n.
 S. C. Enterprises, \$13½ n.
 United Theatres, \$14 n.
 Macao Greyhound, \$10 n.
 Construction (old), \$6.20 n.
 Construction (new), \$14.40 n.
 S'hai O. Finance, \$200 n.

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Destination	Charge Rate per ½ ounce.
Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service.	
Siem (Bangkok)	\$ 0.15
Burma (Rangoon)	0.25
India (Calcutta)	0.35
Perak (Djak)	0.75
Perak (Bukit)	0.85
Perak (Kuala)	0.95
Perak (Teluk)	1.05
Perak (Beyrouth)	1.20
Greece (Athens)	1.35
Italy (Naples)	1.50
France (Marseilles)	1.65
Great Britain & Irish Free State (London)	1.80
Europe, other countries (Marseilles for onward transmission by rail)	1.85

The air mail for each country will be landed at the place named in
 brackets.
 THE AIRMAIL SERVICE from SAIGON to EUROPE is weekly.
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 fortnightly sailing of the FRENCH MAIL steamers and on alternate weeks
 by any available steamers that can make the connexion at SAIGON.
 Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air
 Service" and handed in at the G.P.O. or Kowloon Post Office.

From	Per	Due
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shang- hai (Seattle, 3rd September)	Pres. Cleveland	September 23.
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	September 24.
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru	September 24.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	September 25.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	September 26.
Saigon	Andre Lebon	September 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Athos II	September 27.
Straits	Terukuni Maru	September 27.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shang- hai (Vancouver B.C., 10th Sept.)	Sirhana	September 28.
Japan	Emp. of Russia	September 29.
Japan and Shanghai	Nankin	September 29.
Japan and Shanghai	Tateyama Maru	September 30.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 2nd Septem- ber)	Sawa Maru	September 30.
For	Pres. Garfield	October 1.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Sept. 23, 1 p.m.
Saigon	Helikon	Fri., Sept. 23, 3.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Atsuta Maru	Fri., Sept. 23, Registration 3.45 p.m. Letters 3.50 p.m. (Due Thursday Island, 5th October.)
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongso	Fri., Sept. 23, 4 p.m.
Japan	Kamo Maru	Sat., Sept. 24, 12.30 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,
 East and South Africa, Aden,
 Egypt and Europe via Marseilles Ranchi

Per	Date and Time
Parcels, ..	Sept. 23, 4.30 p.m.
Reg., ..	Sept. 24, 9 a.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 24, 10 a.m.
Parcels, ..	Sept. 23, 5 p.m.
Reg., ..	Sept. 24, 9.45 a.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 24, 10.30 a.m.
(Due Marseilles, 21st October.)	
(Due Thursday Island, 6th October.)	
Com. Henri Riviere	Sat., Sept. 24, 9.30 a.m.

Hocho and Happong	Sat, Sept. 24, 9.30
Manila	President Cleveland
	Sat, Sept. 24, 4.30
Shanghai and Japan	Nagoya
Bangkok	Sat, Sept. 24, 5
Bangkok via Swatow	Chungking
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Sat, Sept. 24, 5
Swatow	Kiangsu
	Sun, Sept. 25, 9
	Cantor Maru
	Sun, Sept. 25, 9
	Hydrangea
	Mon, Sept. 26, 3

Per	Date and Time
Pres. Coolidge	Tues., Sept. 27.
Parcels, ..	Sept. 26, 5 p.m.
Reg., ..	Tues., Sept. 27, 9.45 a.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 27, 10.30 a.m.
(Due San Francisco, 18th October.)	
Tytleboet	Tues., Sept. 27, 10 a.m.

Per	Date and Time
Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues., Sept. 27, 10 a.m.

Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles
 Air Mail Service."

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Athos II	Tues., Sept. 27.
Reg., ..	Sept. 27, Noon.
Letters, ..	Sept. 27, Noon.
G. P. O.	
Reg., ..	Sept. 27, 12.30 p.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.

Amoy, Foochow, Swatow, and Bangkok	Halchins	Tues., Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	Tonkin	Tues., Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Yuansang	Tues., Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	Parcels	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	Letters	Sept. 27, 2 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Andre Lebon ..	Tues., Sept. 27,
and South Africa, Egypt and via Marseilles	Athos II	Tues., Sept. 27,

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Reg., ..	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
G. P. O.	
Reg., ..	Sept. 27, 1.45 p.m.
Letters, ..	Sept. 27, 2.30 p.m.

CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"

"TARZAN THE APE MAN" A VERY REMARKABLE FILM

WAS NOVELLO LEG-PULLING?

(By "Celluloid").

IN some respects the film adaptation of Edgar Rice Burroughs' adventure novel of African life, *Tarzan the Ape-man*, which is the feature of the programme at the Queen's Theatre this week, falls short of expectations. Thrills abound but many are so far-fetched that they border on the line of absurdity. The title role is played by Johnny Weissmuller, the world's champion swimmer and his wonderful physique enables him to carry out the exacting role with an ease which is astounding.

THE story tells of the determination of Parker (C. Aubrey Smith) an ivory-seeking Englishman in Africa, to find the mythical Elephants' burial ground with its ivory treasure. He is aided by Holt, (Neil Hamilton) another Englishman, but on the eve of their departure Jane (Maureen O'Sullivan), Parker's daughter, arrives at the outpost. She insists on accompanying them. On their way to the burial ground they see a herd of giant apes swinging through the trees led by an enormous white man. While the safari watches the Apes, Tarzan, the Ape-man, drops to the ground and, seizing Jane, carries her to the trees. Jane is subsequently rescued by the safari but in unable to forget her Ape-man.

THE party is next attacked and captured by the pygmies and thrown into the gorilla death trap. As in the days of the old silent thriller, the hero, Tarzan, arrives in the nick of time and single handed overcomes this monster. Tarzan's jungle friends, the elephants, then come to his rescue and reduce the village to a mass of ruins. One of these animals is wounded and starts for the burial ground to die. Parker is wounded, but refuses to leave the elephant's back until the ivory has been located. The party passes through a waterfall into a cave piled high with ivory and bones. In an attempt to get to the ground Parker falls and dies. He is buried and the trio then clamber onto the other elephant and escape from the cave. Like the heroines of old, Jane decides to stay in the jungle with her ape-man while Holt goes his way with a promise to return one day to recover the ivory.

HEAVY DRAMA.

A picture of real heavy drama, *The Strange Case of Clara Deane*, which had its first showing at the King's Theatre yesterday, is a type of film which will probably enjoy only restricted popularity and appeal. The story itself is well conceived, though it could have been better exploited. Heart-throb scenes abound and Wynne Gibson gets the utmost out of them with a characteristic performance. Pat O'Brien plays opposite and good work is accomplished by Frances Dee. The film will undoubtedly attract the interest of a large number of patrons and as an entertainment it is quite up to standard.

THE M. G. M. creation *But The Flesh Is Weak* has been and departed leaving behind a feeling of wonderment. Was Ivor Novello, that ingenious playwright, having a leg-pull or was he endeavouring to present a serious portrayal of English Society? For my own peace of mind I hope the former conjecture is correct, otherwise I shall find it difficult ever again to take playwrights seriously. We are all aware that English Society has its idiosyncracies—so, for that matter, has any society whatever its strata or its nationality—but to offer as a serious study the characters of *But The Flesh Is Weak* is a bit over the odds. If the characters in the film were true to life, then Robert Montgomery as the heir-apparent was nothing else but a cad and quite unmoral, living with an equally unmoral father, running after women too blind to see what it was all about. Certainly a queer concoction. On the other hand, if it was merely a bluff, then I take off my hat and am quite willing to hail Robert as the young hero, even if he does do such idiotic things as clamber about ivoried walls in Mayfair!

A HOLLYWOOD ERROR.

I may have been mistaken, but I thought I detected a slight air of detachment and disinterest in the performance of Montgomery. Certain I am that Hollywood is slowly sapping his individuality (heretofore his greatest charm) by making him conform to a "type." The work of C. Aubrey Smith was, however, first rate, whereas Nora Greyor didn't appeal in the slightest in this direction. Among the members of the fair sex, Heather Thatcher was outstanding, and as a character was the only one to reveal any decent qualities. Edward Everett Horton was entirely mis-cast. He is a humourist, not a thwarted lover!



HIGH TREASON—A dramatic episode in the brilliant British production, *High Treason*, which shows at the Taping Theatre on Sunday. A well conceived theme is given an entirely new treatment.



HORSEFEATHERS—The inimitable Marx Brothers have temporarily disbanded, but before doing so they produced another riotous film entitled *Horsefeathers*, which according to reviews is funnier than any of their previous work. Here you see them, with Thelma Todd, the new leading lady who supplies the sex appeal, as they appear in the picture.

NEW BRITISH FILM.

HITHERTO, most of the films shown in Hongkong have either presented stories of the stage, sex and crime. The Gaumont Company has produced something different in *High Treason* which is due to commence at the Tai Ping Theatre on Sunday. *High Treason* breaks the spell of stereotyped screen stories—more than that, it is sufficiently unusual to be distinctive in film entertainment. Based on a play by Pemberton Billing, it presents a picture of the world in 1904 when the Peace Movement has grown to large enough proportions to take militant action to prevent war. No greater theme could be found for dramatization at this day when the world is seeking a way to permanent peace, but it may be remarked that since the primary purpose of this film is entertainment and not propaganda, the producers have wisely interwoven the world's greatest theme, the omnipotence of love in all ages and the triumph of humanity. *High Treason* affords great entertainment to everyone, to every

family and every member of the family. And it is the duty of every Briton in the colony to see the finest, fastest and most amazing British picture ever made. Benita Hume, Basil Gull, Humberton Wright and Jameson Thomas are the leading players, and the picture is directed by Maurice Elvey.

COMEDY TEAM BREAKS UP.

WHILE Broadwayites roll in the aisles at the premiere showing of their latest mad antics, the sons of Minna Schoenberg, once a toiler in the Ghetto lace shops, go upon their separate ways with the time of their reunion now indefinite.

Arthur, one of the world's great pantomimic clowns, is off for the Russian Art Theatre at the behest of the great artist, Max Reinhardt. Julius, the most insane chatter artist on or off the stage, will work alone on the American boards. Leonard and Herbert are likely to

WEEK-END SHOWS.

King's (To-day) "Strange Case of Clara Deane"
(Sunday) "Devil's Lottery"
Queen's (To-day and onwards) "Tarzan the Ape Man"
Central (To-day) "Power of Love" (Chinese)
Majestic (To-day) "Slippy"
Oriental (To-day) "All Quiet on the Western Front"
Garden (To-day) "Dracula"
Oriental (Sunday) "High Treason"

take a vacation, though there is some possibility that Leonard may play the piano in Julius' act.

THE SECRET REVEALED.

IN case these names seem unfamiliar, the gents under discussion are known to the show world as Harpo, Groucho, Chico and Zeppo Marx—otherwise, the Marx brothers. Their trick names were given them many years ago by one Art Fisher, a monologue performer, in Peoria, Ill. There is a fifth brother, Gummo, of whom you do not hear. Also there is an uncle, Al Schoenberg, who began as a tailor's assistant, but is known today as Al Shean—yes, the other half of the once famous Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean team.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Sept. 22.

Dow Jones averages:

Sept. 21. Sept. 22.

30 Industrials 75.15 72.71

20 Rails 36.22 35.08

20 Utilities 33.01 32.08

Measures E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—

Unsettling news is used as a reason for the irregularity of the market, but probably it is logical to interpret the irregularity as a reflection of the fast advance yesterday. We would regard the market as trading and purchase on further irregularity tomorrow morning. Business done: 3,700,000 shares.

Sept. 21. Sept. 22.

Alr Reduction 561% 550%

Allied Chemicals 83% 80%

American Can 67% 65%

American Telegraph & Telephone 118% 114%

American Tobacco 80% 79%

Anaconda Copper 14% 13%

Ashtary 59% 54%

Borden Company 18% 17%

Consolidated Gas of New York 62% 60%

Drugs, Inc. 47% 45%

Dye 42% 40%

Du Pont de Nemours 58% 58%

Eastman Kodak 20% 19%

General Electric 32% 31%

General Motors 18% 17%

International Harvester 28% 26%

International Tel. & Tel. 13% 12%

Liggett & Myers 64% 64%

Loew's Inc. 34% 32%

Pacific Gas & Electric 32% 31%

Pennsylvania Railway 20% 20%

Radio Corporation 10% 9%

Sears Roebuck 24% 23%

Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey 33% 32%

Socony - Vacuum Corp. 10% 10%

Union Carbide & Carbon 28% 27%

United Pacific 80% 77%

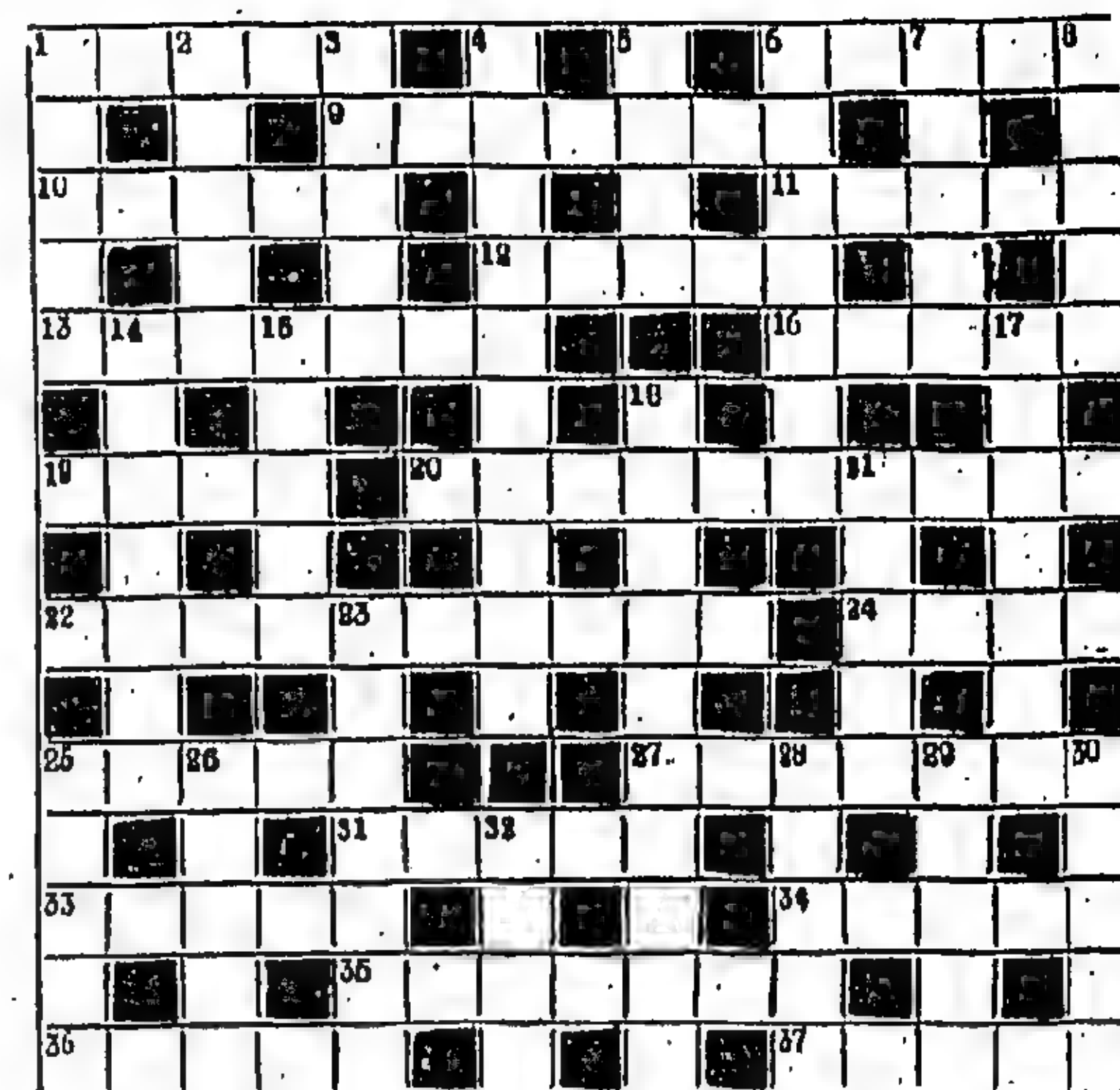
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- 6 Have your fling by all means, but look out for trouble.
- 9 Slander.
- 10 Of course we get custom, but with a pronounced drop.
- 11 They meet at the centre but the conclusions at which they arrive are kept within bounds.
- 12 Wall (rev.).
- 13 Give the girl a sign of approval, on the knee.
- 16 Put in.
- 19 Ego.
- 20 Anxiety is shown for the hundred odd who are alone.
- 22 Kentish town.
- 24 Raw—like Ben Jonson.
- 25 Let in.
- 27 What good is to bad.
- 31 Fish basket.
- 33 A part of the year that is sometimes very hot, and sometimes very cold.
- 34 Old wagons.
- 35 In a body (two words).
- 36 Quantities: frequently nauseous.
- 37 Town in Yorkshire.

Down

- 1 Go the whole hog here.
- 2 Food and drink.
- 3 Go very warily here—it's wrong, you know.
- 4 In this part of Spain there's some bother between equal numbers, and both sides have legal force.
- 5 The Scottish poor.
- 6 Ends that most people achieve at one time or another.

Excursions.

- 8 Always behindhand.
- 14 Altered—probably for the better.
- 15 Fairly like.
- 17 Getting on all right.
- 18 Native of Ceylon (one spelling).
- 21 One will not require the services of a detective to discover the body.
- 23 Very rough jobs.
- 25 Dream (anag.).
- 26 Repeat: 26—but less.
- 28 Hauled.
- 29 Just the place for the fresh air zealot, this Scottish country; there's plenty of air.
- 30 Antiquated.
- 32 Trees.

Yesterday's Solution.

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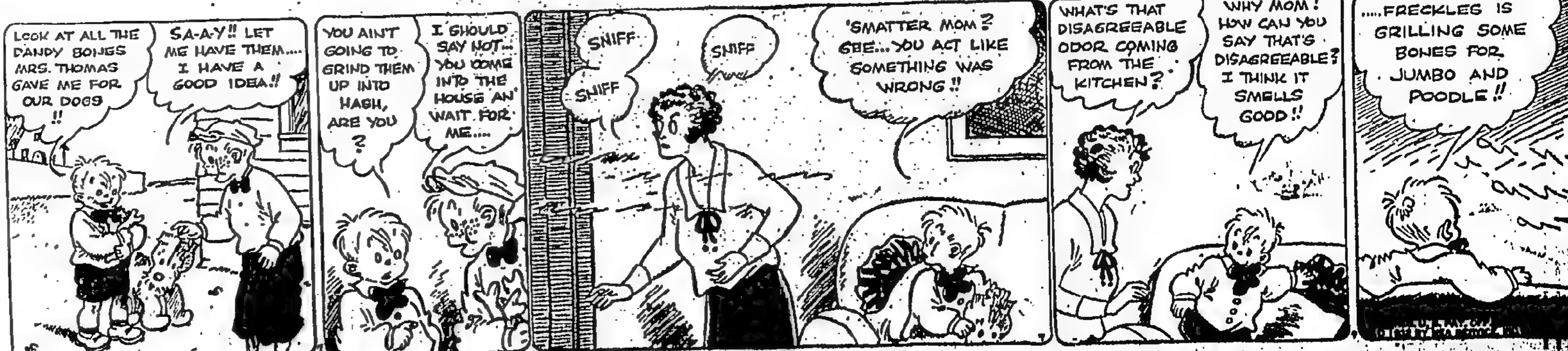
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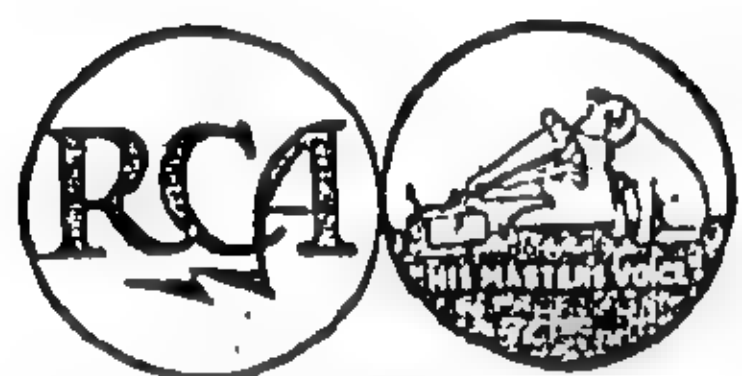
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1932.

THE BUDGET

Hongkong's Budget for 1933 is not likely to arouse a great deal of controversy, for the simple reason that it contains little that is contentious. It is, as Mr. Hallifax himself described it, rather colourless, the Government being quite content to follow a middle course between undue optimism and excessive pessimism. Such arguments as are likely to arise will probably centre round the selection of public works, a subject on which it is always difficult to secure unanimous agreement, but even here we cannot see that there can be much fault to find with the choice made by the Government, since all the new big undertakings which are being started, such as the new Government Civil Hospital, the new Gaol and the Central British School, represent urgent needs. There will be those who would have liked a start to be made on the much-needed Kowloon Post Office, but the Government attitude on this matter—that it is better to wait a while and then erect a large Government building which will include ample postal facilities—seems to be one with which there can be little quarrel.

Looking into the financial position of the Colony, it is to be noted that despite the fact that revenue for the current year is expected to be over eight lakhs short of the estimate, there are anticipations of a surplus on the year's working of more than \$465,000, which will have the result of increasing the credit balance by some half a million dollars when compared with the position at the end of 1931. Revenue has not come in quite as well as had been hoped, and in particular there is a falling away in land sales, which, on an estimate of \$1,750,000, are not expected to produce more than \$1,300,000 in

figure the question naturally arises whether the building boom has spent its force. At the moment, there does appear to be some slackening off, but it is quite conceivable that with a general revival in the future, fresh impetus will be given to the movement. The Government expectation, however, is that revenue generally is likely in the coming twelve months to approximate that of the current year, and as expenditure is rather heavier than the 1932 figures, there are anticipations of a deficit, though this is by no manner of means an alarming figure. Should revenue shrink, it will be possible to prune expenditure and reduce commitments. Generally speaking, the Government would appear inclined to err on the side of caution, especially since the dollar is reckoned on a basis of 1s. 2d. It is, of course, impossible to tell what will happen to silver, but should there be a general recovery in world depression during 1933, it is reasonable to assume that silver prices will appreciate in common with those of other commodities. One thing seems fairly clear, namely, that when there is a definite turn for the better, the improvement will be rapid, as this would be the natural reaction to such a long-continued and severe depression.

One interesting development foreshadowed in the Colonial Secretary's speech is the experiment which has as its aim the substitution of local for European staff in some of the more responsible clerical posts and in the Sanitary Inspectorate. We heartily approve of a test being made along these lines, but the success of the experiment will naturally have to be judged by results. If it is shown that efficiency is not jeopardised, there should be no reason why, in the interests of those who have their homes in the Colony, the idea should not eventually be extended further still. If success is to be achieved, however, sufficient attraction in the way of salary will need to be offered to attract the right type of men.

Postage Up: Fewer Letters.

It is hardly surprising that the increased cost of postage in the Colony has materially decreased the postman's load and caused revenue from this source to fall considerably short of the estimated receipts. The Colonial Treasurer, analysing the situation, says that the number of parcels despatched by mail has markedly diminished, and if he had gone deeper, it would probably have been found that while personal correspondence to places abroad has not been seriously checked, many fewer letters than formerly are passing through the Post Office for local delivery. The increases, remarkably heavy in respect of foreign letters, were bound to have an effect. More letters are being delivered by hand, which is possible in Hongkong, although in many other parts of the world it is prohibited. There are legal restrictions on delivery by anybody except the postman, making it impossible for most senders to avoid the stamp. It would be impossible, of course, to apply such restrictions in Hongkong unless the Government could show its ability to provide a service equally as efficient as the local chit system. The cost of so doing would, we imagine, exceed the amount of the increase in revenue resulting. As regards personal correspondence between residents in the Colony and their friends abroad, it is not likely to be stopped for economy, though we feel that the existing postage rates are excessively high. It is now and then argued that letter writing is a lost art, but in the larger definition of correspondence it may be plausibly answered that never before has the art of letter writing been so assiduously studied and diligently practised, even if the well-known indifference of swine to pearls is no greater than that of many recipients to the artistic and artful efforts expended on many of the letters they receive. In those letters professional scribes devote their best efforts to the exposition of a wide variety of topics. On

DAY BY DAY

THERE IS SOMETHING IN EVERY MAN'S HEART WHICH, IF WE COULD KNOW, WOULD MAKE US HATE HIM.
—Goethe.

A Whist and Bridge Drive will be held in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, on Monday, September 26 at 9 p.m.

Forthcoming weddings include that of Mr. Carlos A. de S. F. d'Assumpcao, 6 United Terrace, Ho Mun Tin, Kowloon, to Miss Lyce C. dos Santos Oliveira, 14 Ashley Road, Kowloon.

Passengers who left by the Empress of Canada to-day included Mr. C. Bunje, Professor W. I. Gerard, Comdr. J. B. Nowill, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Mr. K. K. Rounds, and Mr. H. G. Sheldon.

Dr. C. M. Hasselmann, M.D., D.T.M. & H., will give a lecture to the Hongkong University Medical Society on Monday September 26, at 5.15 p.m. in Room "K" University Main Building, when he will take as his subject "Our Present Conception of the Relation of Yaws to Syphilis" (with lantern slides).

Of a very interesting character was the lecture given by the Very Rev. Dean Swann to members of the St. Andrew's Club in the Church Hall last night on "Palestine." The discourse was illustrated with a number of lantern slides which depicted various scenes of interest and was much appreciated by the audience.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	Sept. 21	Sept. 22
West River at Shihing	44.7	0	16.9	17.7
North River at Taimen	41.7	0	6.0	7.2
North River at Samat	27.3	-5.3	0.8	10.4
East River at Shikling	16.6	-2.5	6.6	4.9

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

London Terminals.

December 1932 5/0 up 1/4d.
March 1933 5/2 up 1/4d.
May 1933 6/2 up 1/4d.
August 1933 6/4 1/2 up 1/4d.
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking 1/4-1/2d. more

New York Terminals.

September 1932 —
December 1932 1.07 down 1 pt.
March 1933 1.04 no change
May 1933 1.07 down 1 pt.
July 1933 1.12 no change
Cuban 96°—Spot. N.Y. 1.15 no change.

other, of the scenes and advantages incidental to a sea trip. To what extent the volume of this correspondence has been lessened by the increased cost of postage has not been disclosed. But it may be hoped that this modern art of letter writing will not be seriously discouraged.

WHAT I THINK OF MYSELF

By NINE FAMOUS MEN

If you were on your deathbed, by what things would you like your success or failure in life to be judged? This question has been answered by nine famous men.

Bernard Shaw.

I am not on my deathbed, except in so far as we are all on our deathbeds. Personally I should prefer to die in a reasonably dry ditch under the stars.

I have not succeeded; people have agreed to rank me as successful—that is all. Have I not written somewhere that life levels all men: death reveals the eminent. Well, I am not quite dead yet.

Sir Oliver Lodge.

I don't expect to look back or worry about the past; rather I expect to look hopefully to the future.

I have done what I could, and not wasted much time. I am content to leave the rest in Higher hands. We all have to do our bit; we are all wheels in an intricate machinery, and I have striven never to dislocate it or put things wrong.

A question of success or failure never loomed large in my estimation, and I feel sure it will not trouble me at what is called the end.

La vie est telle.
Quo Dieu la fit,
Et telle quelle
Elle suffit.
Einstein.

Neither on my deathbed nor previously would I think of putting such a question to myself. Nature is no engineer and no organiser of enterprises, and I am a little bit of Nature.

Bertrand Russell.

I have been trying to imagine what I shall feel on my deathbed; but as I am at this moment in the best of health, I find it a little difficult.

There seems to me to be four different factors by which I should judge the success or failure of my life:

(1) Work in philosophy and mathematical logic; (2) work on social questions; (3) the success or otherwise of my children; (4) personal influence on people I have known.

With regard to (1) I should judge my work a success if it had been a stage in reaching some important development, even if it had not been more than a stage, and had been completely superseded.

With regard to (2), there are major and minor successes possible. Major successes are those of men like Locke and Rousseau, who affected Governments and the structure of society.

Marx has achieved this kind of success in regard to Russia. Such success would, of course, be delicious, but I know it is not for me. A minor success, which I should, nevertheless, consider not worthless, would be to influence the outlook of a large number of individuals, thereby perhaps diminishing the ferocity of some voters, and improving the education of some children.

With regard to my own children, I shall be satisfied if they turn out to be happy, intelligent, and decent individuals.

With regard to my influence on personal acquaintances, I shall be

satisfied if I can feel that I have turned some of them away from the more brutal and more grasping and destructive pursuits to those which I regard as constructive.

I once persuaded a young man to be a philosopher rather than an almanac, and he became a first-rate philosopher. I shall think of this with satisfaction on my deathbed.

John Galsworthy.

I find myself unable really to answer this question, for it leaves its own premises undefined. For instance, what is meant by success or failure? The mood in which the dying will look back—mood of satisfaction or of discontent? Or is the meaning a material one—of bank balance and worldly position, and so forth?

One would have imagined the former is meant but for the use of the words "by what facts," which suggests the latter.

Again: if the inquiry be as to the mood in which one will die the constituents of that mood would be far too intimate and complex for me to give expression to. While if inquiry be as to material success, "Who's Who," and the probate authorities will furnish the best answer.

Further, though this is quibbling; on one's deathbed one will be indifferent, or at least warped in one's view.

Dean Inge.

I should be very sorry to judge my own life. I leave that to a higher Power, who, I hope, will be more lenient than I should be.

Sir Philip Gibbs.

Succeed in what? . . . Failed in what? On one's deathbed, if one can measure up one's own life, success will not be reckoned in worldly values of fame, or distinction, or money, or power. What the word calls failure may be one secret standard of success, and in any case we shall all have failed to live up to our own hopes and dreams.

I doubt whether in such an hour there is any satisfaction to be had out of one's own adventure in egotism. Man's helplessness will be revealed to him. He will know how much he has been shaped by heredity, environment, luck, accident, and physical condition. He will not claim as his own the things he has done if there was any good in them.

Michael Arlen.

I shall know I have failed if, on surveying the course of my life, I find that I have not deserved and not held the affection of those who have been in intimate daily contact with me.

I shall know I have failed if, in spite of lapses and trifling ambitions, I have not sought to act and think like a decent citizen of the world.

Hugh Walpole.

- 1.—Whether I still believe in life rather than repudiate it.
- 2.—Whether, in spite of my own meannesses and jealousies, I still love my fellow-men.
- 3.—Whether I am still made happy by little things.
- 4.—Whether I have conquered fear.
- 5.—Whether I have worked hard, and with joy in working.

YO! HO! HO!

By Edward Kelly, A. B.

THE Royal Society in London, we hear, is offering a prize of £100 for the best essays for improvements in navigation, and the construction of ships.

We have already borrowed \$1.20 on the strength of the offer. We recommend nice black funnels to make the ship look more homelike. Also, instead of portholes, windows which have to be propped up with a beer bottle. TRAVEL ON THE KELLY LINE ON YOUR WINTER CRUISE! OUR COLD SHOWERS DON'T WORK!

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He said, "I give up."

He did.

The Captain pacing to and fro on the bridge is obviously what does it. He should be lashed to the wheel to prevent him from walking about while the wind howls in the rigging, and the blinding spray lashes the faces of the sturdy sailors to ribbons.

Hard bitten sailors is what we need. We know one tough old salt, Epsom, by name. He was so hard that Alsatian dogs were



MOTOR CYCLE TRIAL

ENTRIES CLOSE TO-MORROW

LATEST DETAILS

Entries for the Motor Cycle Reliability Trial, which is to be held on October 8 and 9, close to-morrow.

Arrangements in connexion with the event are now shaping themselves and there is little doubt that the trial will be one of the most interesting ever held in the Colony. As has already been intimated, it starts at 12 midnight on October 8, and concludes about 1.30 p.m. the following day.

In an endeavour to make the course as sporting as possible a watersplash and a secret section is being included. The committee has heard the suggestion that a few riders anxious to enter are a bit dubious as they are not certain what will be required of them. It must be remembered that the trial is not a race. It is a test of the reliability of machines and of good steady driving on the part of riders. A steady pace of 24 miles per hour should be maintained. There is nothing difficult in the course and anybody who can stick on a "bike" at all has as much chance as the next man, though his machine should be tuned up before the trial.

Competitors are warned that early or late arrivals at both open and secret checks will lose their points.

THE PRIZES.

Number plates, route cards, and programmes will be issued on Tuesday October 4, at 5.30 p.m. in the Central Fire Brigade Station Compound (entrance from Queen Victoria St.), by kind permission of the Inspector General of Police.

The first prize is a Challenge Cup which must be won by the same rider at three successive trials in order to be won outright. A replica is presented for each trial. There will be second and third prizes, a team prize, and silver medals will be presented to the next ten best performers. There will also be a B.S.A. and Norton Challenge Shield and replica (kindly presented by Messrs. The Sincere Co., Ltd.), a K.L.G. plug, (kindly presented by Messrs. The Hongkong Motor Accessory Co.) and the M.G.M. Cup (kindly presented by O.C. Section) for the best performance put up by a member of the Motor Machine Gun Section of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Further particulars with regard to breakfast arrangements etc. will be published later, and to-morrow details of the course will appear in the Telegraph.

LANE, CRAWFORD'S ROBBED

(Continued from Page 1.)

windows, but after some time moved reluctantly away.

Finally, the man went into Lane, Crawford's store in Exchange Building. Through the glass windows, the watchman saw him help himself to a grey felt hat, and calmly walk out with it on his head, although it was too large for him and came down to his ears.

As he reappeared in the street, he was arrested by the watchman and taken back into the store.

"The European manager queried how I knew the man to be a thief and followed him," witness continued, "and I told him that I had known him to be a notorious shoplifter."

Mr. E. J. Ainslie, of Messrs. Lane, Crawford's, identified the hat as being their property. The name of the Company was inside the crown, he said.

Replying to a question by the Magistrate, witness said they had a card system, the dockets were checked, and they found there had been no sale of any hat of this type on that day. At the time there were two Chinese salesmen in the Department, with a European manager. The hat was valued at \$17.

A previous conviction in respect of a larceny in May of last year, was admitted by the defendant, who had already served three months' hard labour. He was now sentenced to four months' hard labour.

ITEMS FROM THE BUDGET

BIG WORKS FIGURE IN PROGRAMME

THE NEW G.C.H.

On the first reading of the Budget for 1933 the Director of Public Works laid on the table the Government's plans for public improvements to be carried out. Among the projects outlined was a new Government Civil Hospital to be erected at a cost of \$300,000. The scheme comprises the erection of a large hospital block of about 500 beds together with Sisters' and Nurses' Quarters, Quarters for two European medical officers, a block of six flats for Chinese medical officers, a block of six flats for European subordinate officers, Students' Hostel, Quarters for Hospital servants, garages and mortuary.

The site is on the Pokfulam Road opposite the junction of Sassoon Road.

The work during the year will consist mainly of site preparation, piling and foundations and incidents for materials from the Crown Agents which will be required for the early portions of work.

Praya East Markets.

Another project provides for three markets on the Praya-East Reclamation. These will be as follows:

Hennessy Road near Fleming Road, \$27,000.—One half of this market which is situated on the North side of Hennessy Road to the East of L.L. 2785 is already functioning. The sum now requested is to complete the second half which will provide an additional 40 stalls. The building is of the open type, one storey in height with caretakers' Quarters on the roof.

Bowring Canal, \$15,000.—The building will be sited over the canal opposite Russell Street and comprises an open one storey market of 16 stalls with caretakers' Quarters on the roof.

Praya East, West End, \$15,000.—This one storey open market of 20 stalls with caretakers' Quarters on the roof is sited near the junction of Hennessy Road and Fenwick Street. It is intended that this market should meet the requirements of the West end of the Praya Reclamation and adjoining area.

Latrine and bathhouse at junction of Hennessy Road & O'Brien Road, \$22,000.—This new R.C.C. frame latrine of 28 water closets and 4 urinals will take the place of the conservancy contractors' existing dry convenience. It is not proposed to proceed with the bathhouse upper storey at present but provision made in the construction to take this second storey.

Road Improvements.

In regard to communications the following new roads and road widening projects are provided:

A new 100-foot road between Causeway, Bay and Ming Yuen, \$140,000.—A Contract has been let for the sum of \$231,550 for excavating about 350 yards lineal along the centre section of the road and depositing surplus hard material at the Eastern end, approximately between Power Street and the Government Quarry at Tsat Tso Mui.

This will leave a further length of the road at the Western end to be completed, to connect with the existing road at Causeway Bay, where heavy rock cutting is necessary. The reduction of certain sections of this road to 75 feet wide is under consideration.

Surfacing 40-foot roads on Praya East, \$30,000.—To cover the cost of surfacing, channelling and kerbing portions of Thomson and Jaffe Roads on the Praya East Reclamation according to agreement with lot holders.

New Road to Bathing Beaches, \$15,000.—The total estimated cost of constructing this road, which is an extension of the Repulse Bay Beach Road, to two small bays South East of Repulse Bay is \$70,000. Of this sum \$55,000 is to be provided by the sponsors of the Repulse Bay 'Lido' Scheme and the work will not be commenced until such time as that scheme is approved.

Robinson Road, \$31,000.—To commence a road widening and improvement scheme between Peak Road and Glenalee which embodies the widening of Glenalee Bridge and deals with the dangerous corner below the new Canossa Hospital. This sum includes any necessary land re-emption.

Wongneichong Old Road Improvements, \$30,000.—This sum is required to meet road expenditure arising out of further building development in Wongneichong Valley.

A 10-foot path to Cape D'Aguilar Wireless Station, \$25,000.—To continue and complete a 10-foot wide Access Road to the Wireless Station at Cape D'Aguilar. A section of 5 miles is already completed, and this is to be completed the remaining

This road will greatly facilitate the transport of personnel and stores to the Wireless Station.

A New road from Island Road to Stanley, \$60,000.—This sum covers the cost of construction of a loop motor road 6 miles long to connect Island Road with the new Wong Ma Kok Gaol Road near Stanley Police Station. It will also provide access to new development in the district.

Kennedy Road Widening, \$30,000.—To continue the partially completed Kennedy Road Widening Scheme dealing particularly with that portion behind the Magazine.

This should allow of through traffic and to some extent relieve congestion in the Manchal, Queen's Road East Area.

Drainage.

Additional Septic Tank at Repulse Bay, \$15,000.—Recent development in this area has tended to overload the existing septic tanks. In order to relieve this, it is proposed to install an extra tank which will be sited along the South-West arm of the bay.

New Sewer Wongneichong Gap to Island Road, \$27,000.—To construct a sewer, pick up drainage from new development along this road. Each lot connected has to pay a proportion of cost so that eventually most of the original outlay will be refunded to Government.

Victoria Hospital, Tennis Court, \$3,000.—This tennis court, was destroyed during an electric storm in 1926. The retaining walls and filling were partially replaced and it is now proposed to complete the work to make this court playable.

Miscellaneous Projects.

Central Market: Fish Tanks, \$2,000.—The work consists of the removal of the fresh water fish tanks from a position adjoining the Des Voeux Road entrance to the Queen's Road end of the market in order to relieve the congestion of the market at the Des Voeux Road end.

Upper Peak Tram Station Parking Ground, \$6,500.—To provide increased car parking facilities near this station. This is a necessary convenience.

Botanical Gardens: Improvements, \$6,600.—With this vote it is proposed to remake the gallery walk in the New Gardens which was destroyed by a landslide in 1923. The erection of protective railings and replacement of wood and barbed wire fences by R.C.C. and tube rails in the same Gardens are also included.

Extension to Buildings Ordinance Office, \$11,000.—This work consists of the extension of the three lower floors of the existing building housing the Buildings Ordinance, Waterworks and Survey Offices in order to give increased accommodation to those sub-departments. A sum of \$11,000 was voted in Supplementary Estimates 1932 to meet the cost of an extension to the ground floor only. It is considered however that the crowded condition of the Waterworks and Survey Offices warrants the erection of a three-storey extension in place of the original one-storey. The total cost is \$22,000 and the sum now requested will complete the work.

Eastern Pumping Scheme, \$20,000.—To commence the provision of a filtered water supply to the slopes of Mount Cameron, Jardines Lookout, Broadwood Road and eventually Repulse Bay, from the Eastern Filter Beds.

Construction of a Rubble Mound at Kennedy Town, \$35,000.—Owing to the possible transfer of the Typhoon Refuge from Yau-mat to Cheung Sha Wan thereby closing the Cheung Sha Wan dumping area, it is necessary to commence an alternative site to take dredging and building debris.

Resumption of Royal Naval Canteen, \$38,523.—The removal of the Royal Naval Canteen is required in order to link up Queen's Road Central with Hennessy Road. The sum now asked is the fourth and final of 4 equal half yearly instalments payable as compensation for the existing buildings.

Kowloon Magistracy.

Among the projects provided for in Kowloon are the following: Kowloon Magistracy, \$120,000.—The work consists of the erection of a Magistracy Building on the borders of King's Park and adjoining Gascoigne Road. The building will be of three stories and contain in addition to the two large Court Rooms, a small Juvenile Court, Waiting Room, Stores for Records, Cells and Detention Room, Quarters for Messengers etc., Magistracy Chambers, Solicitors' Room and Office accommodation for the Administrative Staff. The top floor will consist of a European Flat suitable for the Police Magistracy.

The building will replace the old and inadequate temporary Magistracy now contained in what was formerly the Yau-mat Police Station.

Kowloon Hospital—Additions, \$180,000.—The additions consist of a new General Ward Block for 300 Class patients, a block of Nurses' Quarters and an additional Medical Officers' House. These buildings are in accordance

WEST POINT DUEL.

DISTRICT WATCHMAN FACES MURDER CHARGES

Sai Ko-chiu, district watchman, was charged yesterday with the murder of Lai Chuen, with whom it is alleged he fought a revolver duel on the night of September 10.

The incident occurred shortly after midnight in Des Voeux Road, near the Western Street junction. When the police arrived on the scene they found Lai Chuen unconscious on the roadway with bullet wounds in the abdomen. He died later in hospital.

Exhaustive inquiries were made and culminated in the charge of murder.

Hospital of 500 beds and form the next stage in its development. Tenders for the additions have already been obtained and by the end of the present year the buildings will be under way.

The sum provided in the Estimates for the continuance of the work which, it is expected, will be completed early in 1934. New Residence for the Director of the Royal Observatory, \$35,000.—Office accommodation at the Royal Observatory has become very limited. It is proposed to erect a detached house in the grounds to house the D.R.O. and use his old quarters in the main building as an extension to the offices. That these quarters are at first floor level is also convenient as this affords better observation in the direction of Lyemum during typhoon weather.

New Central British School, \$70,000.—The sum provided in the Estimates is to enable a new site for this building to be prepared on the south side of Argyle Street opposite the Kowloon Hospital.

Kowloon Junior School, New Drill Hall, \$4,000.—The building erected will be of temporary construction in timber and will provide space which may alternatively be used for a Drill Hall or additional Class room.

W/T Station, Hung Hom, \$44,000.—To provide a new permanent station for the Broadcast Transmitter lately situated at the Peak. This Transmitter has been temporarily housed on the site on which it is proposed to erect the permanent station. This will reserve the Peak Station for reception work of a general nature. The existing reception station at the Observatory has become unsatisfactory owing to electrical interference from surrounding development. The new station will be sited on a portion of the area reserved for a Government Store immediately to the south of the junction of Chatham Road and Winslow Street.

Improving Waterloo Road from Nathan Road to Railway Bridge, \$10,000.—To commence the widening to the south of the nullah in this section of road to its full width. The improvement is necessitated owing to the increased traffic due to development in the Prince Edward Road—Kowloon Tong areas.

New Service Reservoir, Yau-mat Hill, \$150,000.—Necessary to meet the growing demand for increased water supply on Kowloon Point.

In New Kowloon.

Reconstruction of Kowloon City Wall, \$3,000.—To commence a scheme whereby the preservation of the old City Wall is insured. Kowloon Tong Recreation Ground, \$7,000.—To provide for a recreation ground at the north end of Kowloon Tong.

Kowloon Tsi Garden City development, 1st Section, \$100,000.—A development scheme the site formation of which will be carried out by Government. After the completion of this section, the sites will be disposed of by public auction. Except for the initial outlay the scheme will be self supporting. The work will be proceeded with in such a manner that it could be delayed or abandoned at any time if that was considered necessary.

The New Territories.

The only project of importance in the New Territories is the construction of a Government Bungalow at Fanling at the cost of \$50,000 to serve as a country residence for H. E. the Governor.

Additions are to be made to the Tao O police station, and a market will be erected at Tuen Wan. There will be some material improvements to existing roads to fit them for heavy motor traffic.

The Loan Works.

The principal of the loan works is the provision of the new Gaol at Stanley Peninsula. For this the sum of \$500,000 is asked to commence the work. The rest of the loan works have relation to waterworks development, chiefly the Suiing Man Valley scheme, the Aberdeen Valley scheme, and the

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7-10.30 p.m. European programme.

7 p.m. Stock Quotations etc.

7.3-7.15 p.m. From the Studio.

A short talk on the aims and objects of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals by Mr. J. Russell.

7.15-10.30 p.m.

A programme of Victor and H.M.V. records.

7.15-7.50 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

Dance Music (various).

Over the Waves (Rosa).

International Concert Orchestra C1278.

Jolly Fellows (Volstead).

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Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra D1218.

Wine and Song (Strauss).

Hos of the South (Strauss).

Chicago Symphony Orchestra D1452.

8 p.m. (Local Time & Weather Report).

7.50-8.40 p.m. A Concert.

Song—Swiss Echo Song (Eckert).

Song—Lo, Here the Gentle Lark (Shakespeare-Diaper).

Violin Solo—Shepherd's Madrigal (Kreutzer).

Song—The Kerry Dance (Molloy).

Song—Travelers all of Every Station (Raiffe).

Piano Solo—Hungarian Rhapsody No. 6 (Liszt).

Song—By the Waters of Minnetonka (Lecur.

Song—Trees (Kilmer-Rahbach).

Ernestine Schumann-Heine (Contralto).

Violin Solo—Nigun (Improvisation) (Bloch).

Song—Mountain Lovers (Squire).

John Turner (Tenor) C1343.

8.40-9.40 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Hit the Deck—Selection Savoy Orpheans C1403.

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The Girl Friend—Vocal Gems.

Clowns in Clover—Selection.

The New Melody Orchestra C1458.

Line Domino—Vocal Gems.

Chocolate Soldier—Vocal Gems.

The Vazabond King—Selection.

Dear Love—Vocal Gems.

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New Melody Orchestra C1701.

9.40-10.30 p.m.

Symphony No. 3 in E Flat Major—Op. 55 (Beethoven).

Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates D1169/D1163.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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7.00 p.m.—Dinner Hour—Ray View Hotel Orchestra.

7.30 p.m.—Spanish Programme.

8.00 p.m.—General Electric Programme—General Electric Orchestra and Guest Artist.

8.30 p.m.—Filipino Life Insurance Co. Programme—Lily Escala.

8.45 p.m.—Studio Dialect Programme—Islandia Entertainers—directed by J. Aguilar.

9.15 p.m.—Lyric Music House Orchestra—Dance Music.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

DEATH WITHIN WEEK

IF BIG RANSOM NOT FORTHCOMING

Newchwang, Sept. 22.

If the ransom of \$250,000, demanded by the bandits for the release of Mrs. Muriel Pawley and Mr. Charles Corkran is not immediately forthcoming, they will be shot within a week.

This is the latest ultimatum from the bandit gang that carried off the couple while they were riding on the Mukdey racecourse on September 7. The bandits also threaten to cut off the ears of the couple, as a reminder.

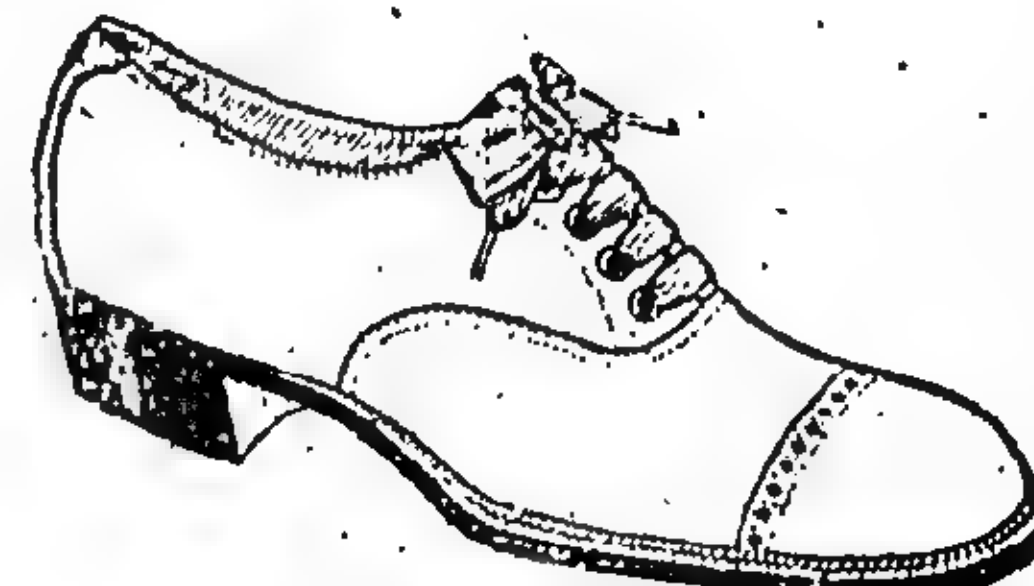
This information was contained in a letter from Mrs. Pawley, reaching her father, Dr. Phillips, a medical missionary here, through his mafioo to-day. In it she says they will both be shot in a week's time if the ransom is not paid, and a letter from Mr. Corkran declares the bandits have already threatened to cut off their ears to send to Newchwang in four days, as a reminder, if the bandits' terms are not accepted.

The whereabouts of the couple are still unknown, as since September 16, their captors have been changing their headquarters several times daily to evade detection.—Renter.

London Anxiety.

London, Sept. 22. The plight of Mr. Corkran and Mrs. Pawley continues to cause undiminished anxiety in official circles, which, however, Renter learns, realise that both the Japanese and Manchukuo authorities are lending their utmost assistance to facilitate the British officials efforts to secure the

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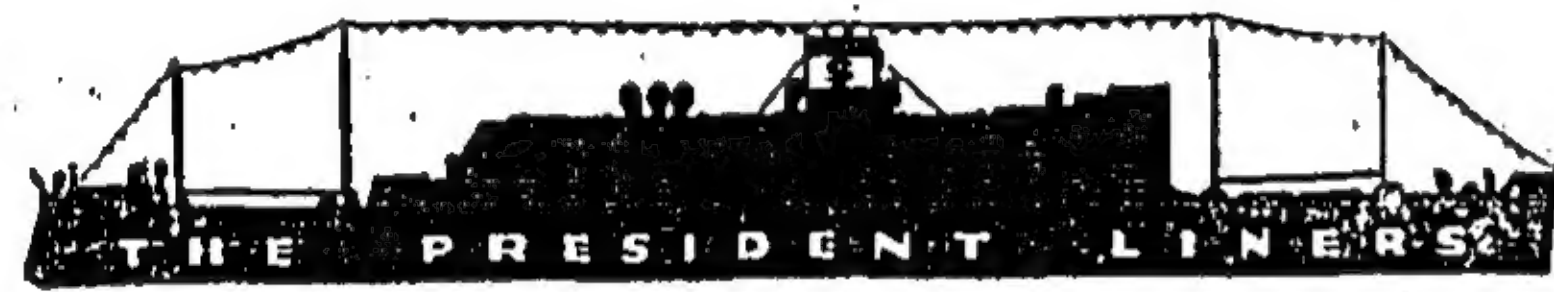
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COLONY'S FINANCES.

MEMORANDUM BY THE COLONIAL TREASURER

In a memorandum by the Hon. Mr. Edwin Taylor, the Colonial Treasurer, laid on the table at yesterday's Council meeting the following appears in regard to 1933:

The estimated revenue for 1933 amounts to \$34,001,575, an increase of \$11,065 over the estimates for 1932. No additional taxation has been proposed. As a result of the general overhaul of taxation undertaken during 1931 referred to in paragraph 6 above, certain increases in fees and licences did not become effective until late in 1931 and during the earlier part of 1932, and consequently could not be included in revenue figures of the 1932 printed estimate. This explains the use of the words "Increased fees" in the estimate, to indicate that the receipts for 1933 are anticipated to be higher than the estimated receipts for 1932.

The import duty on liquor and tobacco shows a falling off due to the higher rate at which exchange has been estimated for 1933 as compared with 1932. The excise duty on locally manufactured liquor is, however, estimated at rather more than in 1932 as the import duty affords a slight preference to this trade. The Opium Monopoly shows a large decline. Assessed Taxes (rates) and Water Excess Supply and Meter Rents are growing yearly. The estimated receipts from the Entertainment Tax have been estimated in 1932, having been over-estimated in 1931. Post Office receipts both on account of Postage and Radio Message Fees were over-estimated for 1932, the anticipated revenue from the increased postal rates not having materialized and there has also been a large decline in the number of parcels despatched. The passenger service of the Railway continues to grow owing to the speeding up of the time to Canton due to the new Super-heated Locomotives. Land Sales are falling off and the estimated receipts for 1933 are placed at the same figure as the revised estimate for 1932.

Expenditure is estimated in 1933 at a total of \$35,199,247 as under:

Ordinary Expenditure \$31,031,324
Extraordinary Expenditure 3,067,923

Special Expenditure from Surplus Balances 500,000

\$35,199,247

and for purposes of conversion the dollar has been taken at a sterling value of 1s. 2d. throughout. The following is a summary of the estimated Revenue and Expenditure for 1933:

Revenue.

Ordinary \$32,702,575

Land Sales 1,300,000

\$34,002,575

Expenditure.

Ordinary \$31,031,324

Extraordinary 3,067,923

\$34,099,247

This shows a deficit on the year's working of \$996,672 in addition to which a further \$500,000 on account of the Naval Arsenal has to be met from Surplus Balances. The total estimated deficit for the year is, therefore, \$1,496,672.

Assets and Liabilities.

Authority has however been obtained to charge the above sum of \$500,000 to Surplus Balances and in time it is expected to recover the cost of the Naval Arsenal but not until it is handed over. Past experience has almost invariably shown that there are large savings and under expenditure which will more than cover the deficit of \$996,672 as shown in the printed estimates. The aim has been to maintain our surplus at well over \$10,000,000.

The anticipated excess of Assets over Liabilities at the close of the year 1933 is arrived at as under:

Actual Excess at 31/12/32 \$11,347,620

Revised Estimate of Revenue 1933 28,162,674

44,500,293

Revised Estimate of Expenditure 1933 32,687,600

11,812,693

Estimated Excess at 31/12/33 \$1,812,693

Estimated Revenue 1933 \$1,002,575

45,515,278

Estimated Expenditure 1933 From General Revenue \$4,002,575

Including \$500,000 for Naval Arsenal 1,106,672 5,109,247

Anticipated Excess of Assets over Liabilities at 31/12/33 \$10,616,161

The revenue estimates for 1933 have been drawn up on the assumption that revenue will be maintained as heretofore. There is no sign or portent as yet of any decrease. Should these appear during 1933 it



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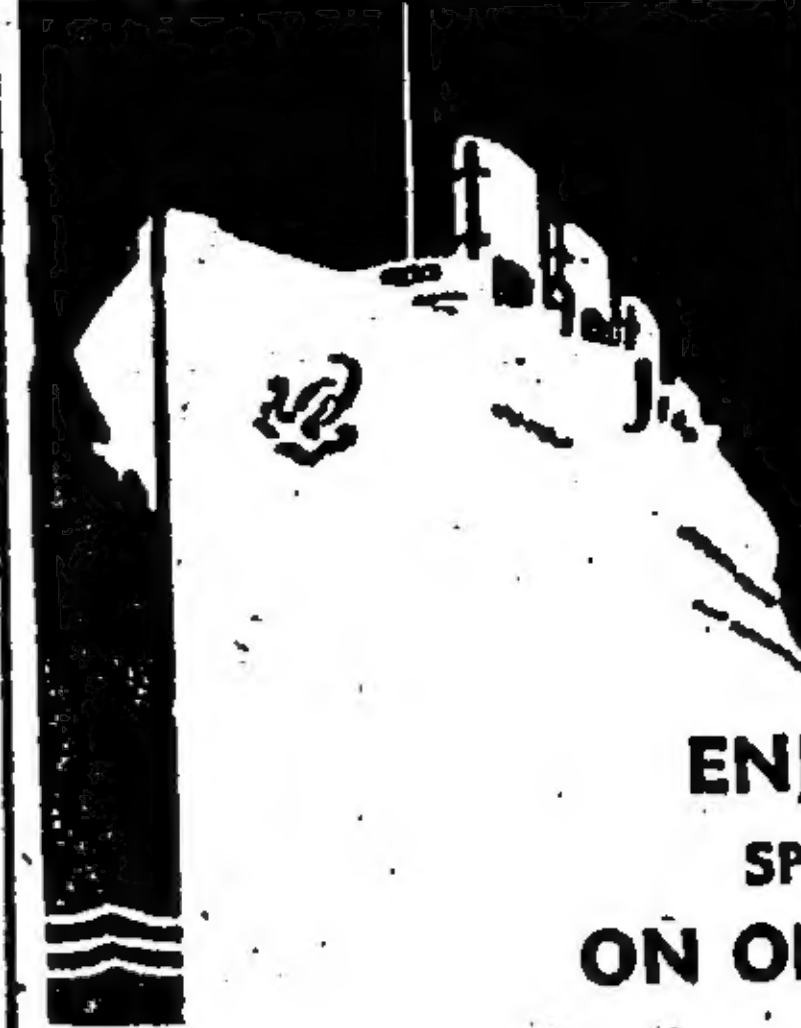
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will be necessary immediately to prune expenditure and reduce commitments. This can be done not only over Special Expenditure and Public Works items but over recurrent expenditure as well. The building of a new hospital commits the Colony to \$3,000,000 (as now estimated) spread over 3 to 4 years and once started will have to be continued so that in the event of a falling revenue other works must be curtailed. The cost of the new hospital will, however, to a certain extent be offset by the sale eventually

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COLONY'S FINANCES.

(Continued from Page 2.)

of a portion of the site of the present Government Civil Hospital. Such receipts, however, cannot be expected for some years and Government meanwhile must finance both building and equipment. For the latter service a figure has as yet not been given. The programme of Public Works Extraordinary estimated at a total of \$3,667,923 is of a very varied nature and moreover is one on which in case of necessity work on many of the items can be stopped without detriment to the work already completed. Furthermore many of the works will not be commenced until well into the year when the financial position can be seen with more certainty. Subject to the reservation noted above as to the revenue for 1933 it is not considered that the expenditure shown in the printed estimates is beyond the resources of the Colony.

Loan Works.

Surplus balances have been drawn on in anticipation of a future loan and on 30th June, 1932, the total amount advanced was as under:

Aerodrome (Net—credits deducted)	\$297,469
Vehicular Ferry	612,140
Aberdeen Water Scheme ..	1,970,029
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, 1st section	441,323
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, 2nd section	103,150
Shing Mun Valley Scheme, 2nd section	24,654
New Gwai at Wong Ma Kok ..	820
	3,449,585

Anticipated Expenditure during the six months ending 31st December, 1932

1,361,454

Total

\$4,811,039

As the actual expenditure on surplus balances at 31/12/31 was \$3,464,034 the additional sum required this year amounts to \$1,327,005 and the liquid resources of the Colony should be able to stand this without borrowing.

Three new items appear in the Schedule

(a) The Shing Mun Valley Scheme (2nd Section)—Gorge Dam—estimated at \$2,200,000. The expenditure on this work during 1932 is estimated at approximately \$75,000.

(b) Tyam Tuk Catchwaters—estimated at \$600,000 spread over two years of which \$300,000 is anticipated to be spent in 1933. Approval is required before this can be proceeded with.

(c) Shing Mun Valley Scheme (2nd Section). Preliminary Works—although new to the Schedule has previously been charged against 1st Section and was shown as such in Appendix VII (A) of the 1932 Estimates. It is considered that this item being part of the 2nd Section should be transferred and shown separately and this has accordingly been done and formal approval will be asked.

The anticipated cost of loan works during 1933 is shown as \$2,834,308, the largest item being \$1,625,000 on account of the Gorge Dam. This figure has been supplied by the Consulting Engineer, and its expenditure entirely depends on the progress of the work. Experience has shown that the total estimated yearly expenditure for loan works in the past has greatly exceeded actual cash requirements and unless 1933 is to be an exception the amount of \$2,834,298 will be in excess of actual payment. \$2,400,000 is, therefore, being allowed by the Treasury. The question of financing these loan works is receiving very careful consideration but at the moment no announcement can be made.

THE POLICE FORCE INSPECTION

(Continued from Page 2.)

Sub-Department over a period of ten years.

H. E.'s Commendations.
Sub-Inspector A. Kirby for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances at West Point on September 28th, 1931.

Lance Sergt. W. E. Meadows for excellent work in the Criminal Investigation Department.

Lance Sergt. D. C. W. Fitches for excellent work in the Criminal Investigation Department.

Ex-P. C. J. Brewery (Prison's Dept.) for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances.

A.S.O. A. I. Cash (Fire Brigade) for special services during the Anti-Japanese disturbances.

I.L.S. Ali Mohamed for excellent work as Drill Instructor at the Police Training School.

P. C. Lau Fuk for diligent and zealous work in the Criminal Investigation Department.

P. C. Leung Yun for diligent and zealous work in the Criminal Investigation Department.

Belillios Medals.
L. S. Fazal Ahmed awarded a Belillios Medal (Bronze), and the sum of \$5.00 for the rescue of Lal Sul Wan who attempted to commit suicide by jumping off the Tsim Sha Tsui Pier on 21.5.32.

Scout Master Lau Hung Chon awarded a Belillios Medal (Silver), and the sum of \$50.00 for bravery and prompt assistance in saving life and property, before the arrival of the Fire Brigade, at a fire which broke out at the Kwong Hing Loong Cotton Quilt Makers Shop, No. 188 Shanghai Street, on January 9th.

Revolver and Musketry Prizes.
Insp. Shaftain—Cup, European Rifle Championship, 1930.

L. S. B. 14 Chanchal Singh \$10 Indian & W.H.W. Rifle Championship, 1930.

Sub-Inspector Carey—Cup for European Revolver championship, 1930.

Lance Sergt. Russell—Cup for European Revolver Handicap, 1930.

Insp. Booker—Cup for European Revolver Handicap (2nd prize).

Lance Sergt. Russell—Replica of Sir E. Stubbs' Cup, 1930.

L. S. Chanchal Singh \$10, Indian Revolver Championship, 1930.

P. C. Lai Choi \$10, Cantonese & W.H.W. Revolver Championship, 1930.

Life Saving.
The following life saving certificates and awards from the Royal Life Saving Society were presented—Lance Sergeants Wheeler and Roberts, proficiency certificates and bronze medallions of the Society showing that the holders have passed the necessary tests to obtain the first certificate of the Society for ability to save life.

Cpl. Channan Singh and P. C. Hazoor Singh, Hon. Instructor's Certificates; Chanchal Singh, Gitta Singh, Narain Singh, Naginder Singh, Pooran Singh, Naranjan Singh, Karnail Singh, Charan Singh, Proficiency certificates and Bronze Medallions.

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Chin, who resides at 131, Whitefield-street, Quarry Bay was driving his lorry along Hennessy Road in the direction of Causeway Bay when, near Tin Lok Lane, a five year old Chinese boy ran in front of

the wheels.

Swinging the steering wheel, Chin turned into Marsh street. At that moment Wun In-go, 29, of Lockhart Road, stepped off the footpath a few feet in front of the lorry.

She was struck heavily and the off-side wheel passed over her head. Death was instantaneous. The body was taken to the mortuary and a post mortem held. A certificate of death from head injuries was given.

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NALDERA	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, M'les & L'don
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, M'les & L'don
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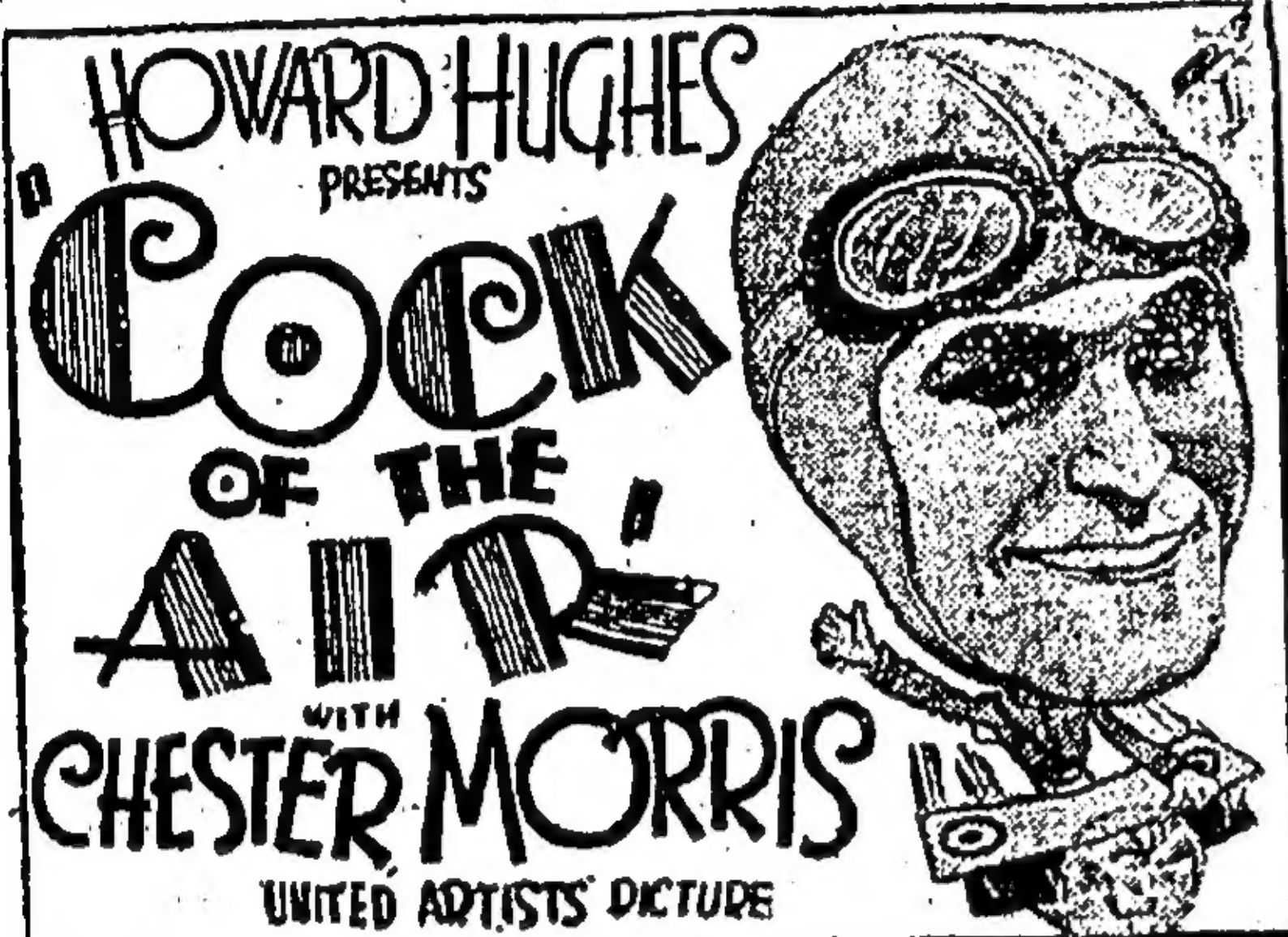
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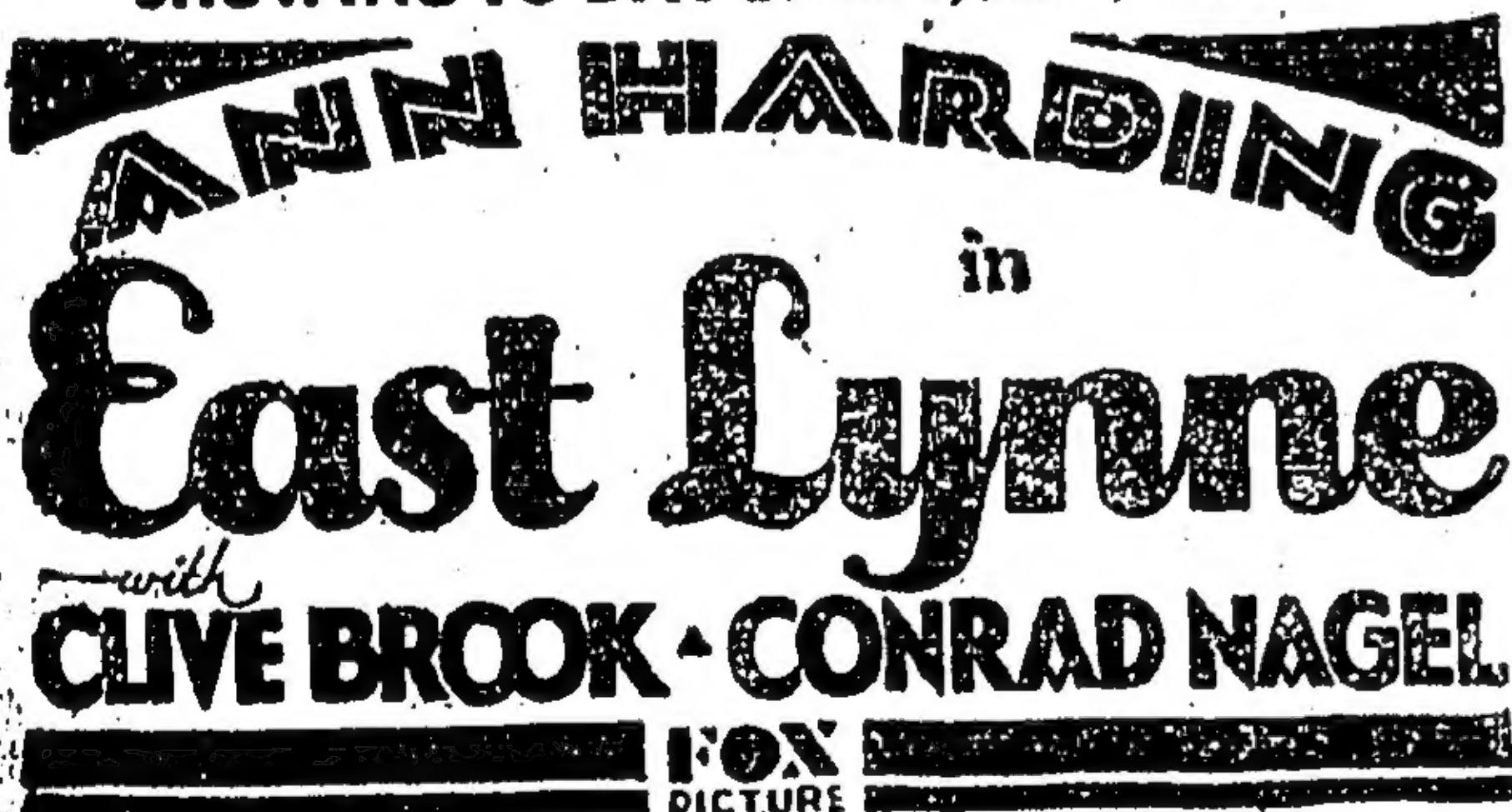
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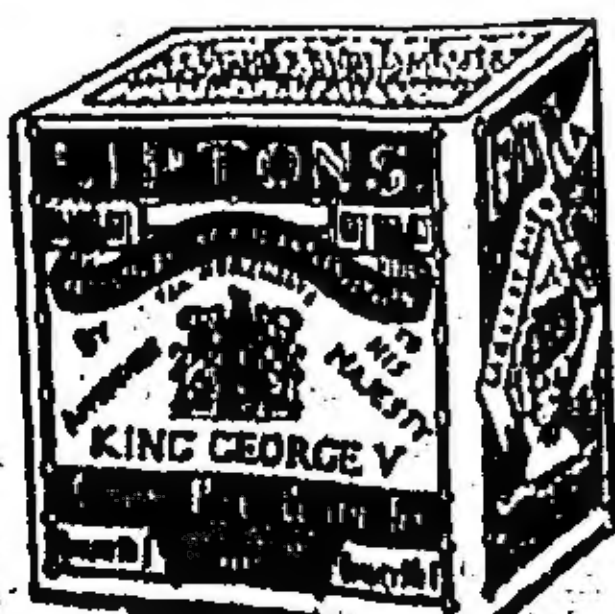
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"France stands by Britain's pro-
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She never for a moment considered
recognising the State of Manchu-
kuo, and will await the Lytton re-
port and stand by the League's de-
cision. There is consequently no
question of any change in France's
policy in the Far East; her attitude
remains as defined by M. Briand
last autumn."

This authoritative statement was
made to Reuters this morning, as a
commentary on the recent reports.

It was pointed out that France
always upheld the League findings
in connexion with the respect of
treaty rights in the Far East, and
that France never disagreed with
the United States as regards Man-
churia. Consequently there is no
question of falling into line with
the United States at the present
juncture.

It was recalled that Briand's
policy was aimed at the peaceful
settlement of the Manchurian ques-
tion even at the price of certain
delay, for he was no partisan of
"Bull in the China Shop" diplomacy.
The spokesman referred in this
connexion from the Foreign Minis-
ter's speech in opening the League
Council on November 16 last year,
and also on the occasion of the de-
cision to send out a committee of
investigation.

Although M. Briand had gone,
France still stands by the League
and the sanctity of international
obligations," added the spokesman.
Her policy is perfectly consistent
throughout "and reports of a
change are simply absurd."—Reu-
ter.

Japan's Threat

New York, Sept. 22.

Japan would not hesitate a
minute to withdraw from the League,
if "compelled to do so" by the
nature of the Lytton Report, de-
clared Mr. Saito, the Japanese
Charge d'Affaires at Washington
during Mr. Debutch's absence.

He added that Japan has nothing
to fear if the Lytton Commis-
sion saw the facts as they were.
—Reuter.

PENNANT WINNER AGAIN DEFEATED

Cubs Shut Out: Yankees Beat Athletics

New York, Sept. 22.

Since winning the match which
gave them the National League
pennant, Chicago Cubs have gone
down three times before the Pitts-
burgh Pirates, who have drawn up
to within four games. To-day
the Cubs were blanked out by Hal
Smith, while the Pirates made
seven runs from 12 hits.

A crowd of over 120,000 lined
the streets of Chicago to-day when
a parade of homage to the Cubs
marched to the City Hall, led by
their conquering heroes. The Cubs
ignored Rogers Hornsby, their most
prominent player for years past,
in the balloting for the division
of the World Series money.

FOX'S EFFORT.

At Philadelphia, Jimmy Fox, the
star hitter of the year, smacked
out two home runs against the
Yankees, bringing his total for
the season to 66. He now needs
only four in order to equal Babe
Ruth's 1927 major league record
of 60, but he has practically given
up hope. McNair also hit a four-
bagger, but these big hits were
not quite good enough, the Yan-
kees bunting their hits to score
eight runs from 12 hits. Gehrig
and Hong hit home runs. The
game went to ten innings. Babe
Ruth has recovered from his in-
disposition and has resumed his
place in the Yankees line-up.

Other home run hitters to-day
were: Wright (Brooklyn), C.
Wilson and Pucinello (St. Louis
Cardinals), and Johnson (Boston).

Results:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	0	6	0
Pittsburgh	7	12	2
New York	2	8	0
Brooklyn	7	12	0

St. Louis

St. Louis	8	11	0
Cincinnati	6	13	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston	2	4	2
Washington	4	9	1
Philadelphia	7	15	0
New York	8	12	0

CONCERT FEATURES.

NEXT SUNDAY'S TREAT AT
PENINSULA HOTEL

An opportunity will be afforded
at next Sunday evening's sym-
phonic concert at the Peninsula
Hotel of hearing the young Japa-
nese xylophonist, Sadao Iwai, a lad
13 years of age who is a wonder-
ful performer on this musical in-
strument. He has given many
excellent recitals in Japan and
elsewhere, and is said to be a re-
markable genius.

At this concert he will play three
compositions, (1) a solo "William
Tell" (Fantasia) by Krueger; (2)
then with full orchestral accom-
paniment "American Patrol" by
Mearns; and (3) "Hungarian
Rhapsody" by Liszt with accom-
paniment on the piano by his
mother Madame Iwai.

This is a special feature, con-
stituting the second part of the
programme, whilst parts I and III
comprise a selected variety of or-
chestral numbers which altogether
should assure a most pleasant and
entertaining evening.

That a real thriller can always be
an irresistible draw was proved once
again yesterday by the packed houses
attendant on the screenings of the
jungle picture, "Tarzan, the Ape
Man." Nevertheless, recalling the
trickeries and impositions perpetrat-
ed by Hollywood in the past, the
ordinary fan who saw the picture
yesterday, is not to be blamed if he
is reluctant to believe the evidence
of his eyes—and ears—of the mighty
feats of man and beast, and the
hundred-and-one wonders of an
allegedly African jungle. For those
who like plenty of action, the film
should be very acceptable. It is
showing at the Queen's Theatre.

League standings follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	89	63	586
Pittsburgh	84	66	500
Brooklyn	80	72	526
Philadelphia	77	73	513
Boston	76	78	500
St. Louis	70	80	467
New York	69	81	467
Cincinnati	59	93	388

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	105	46	695
Philadelphia	93	58	616
Washington	91	60	603
Cleveland	86	64	573
Detroit	71	75	480
St. Louis	62	87	416
Chicago	48	100	324
Boston	43	107	287

—Reuter.



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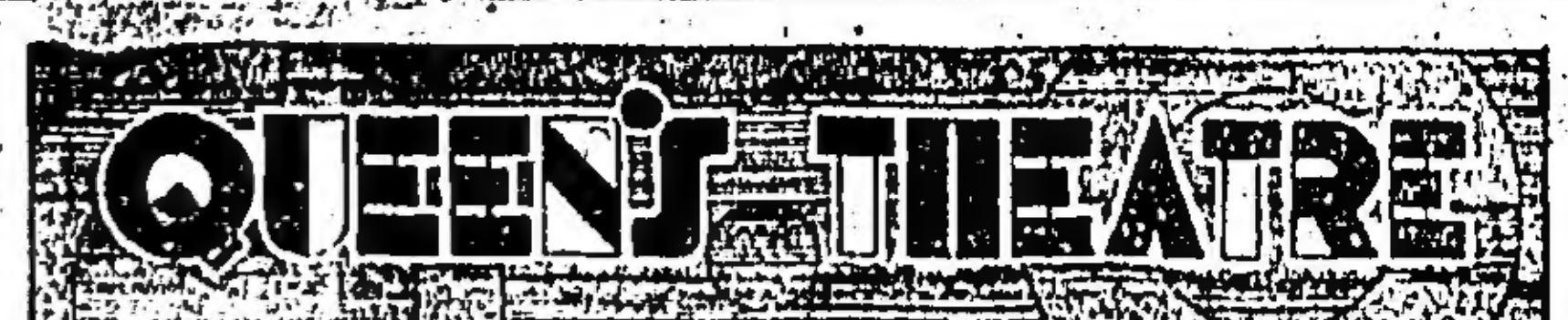


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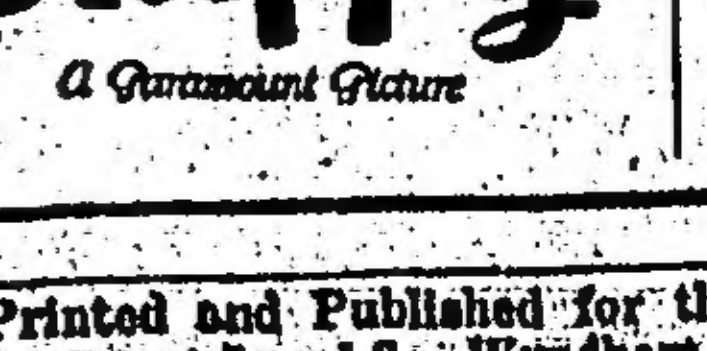
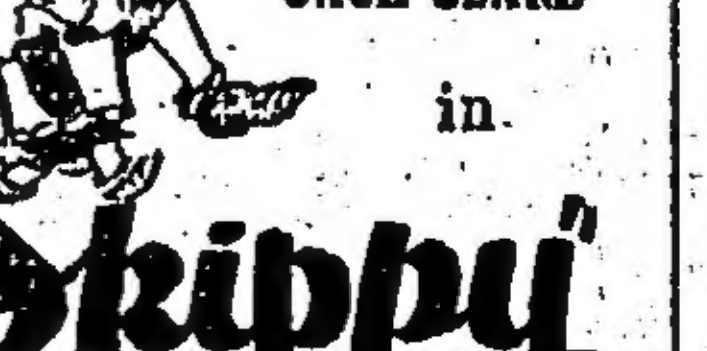
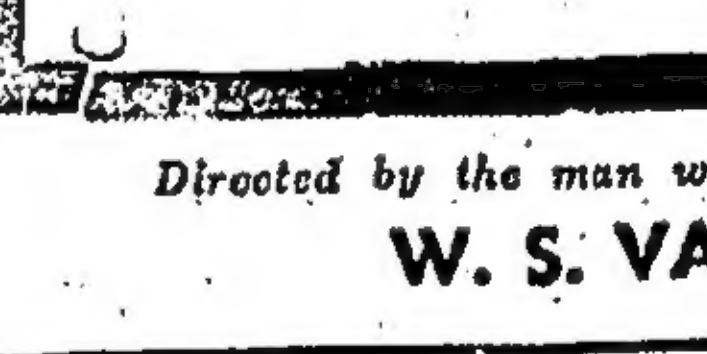
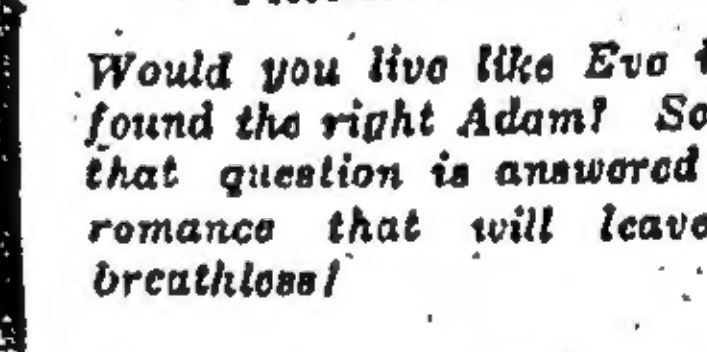
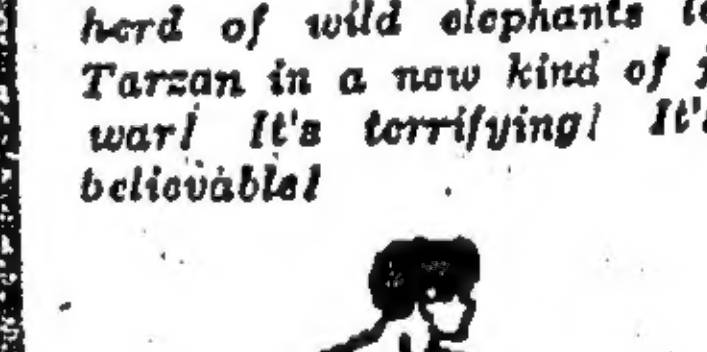
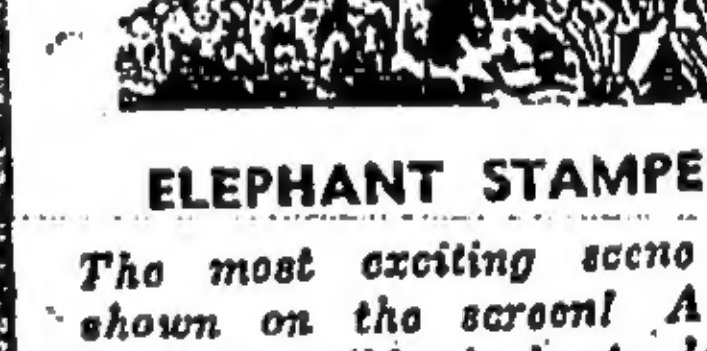
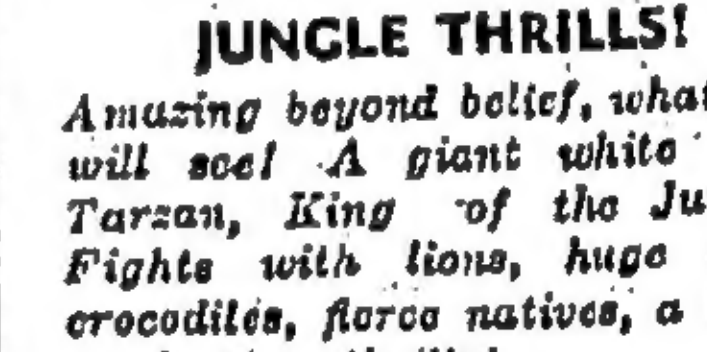
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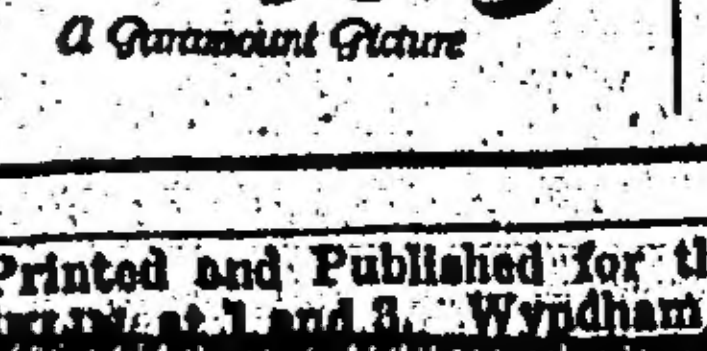
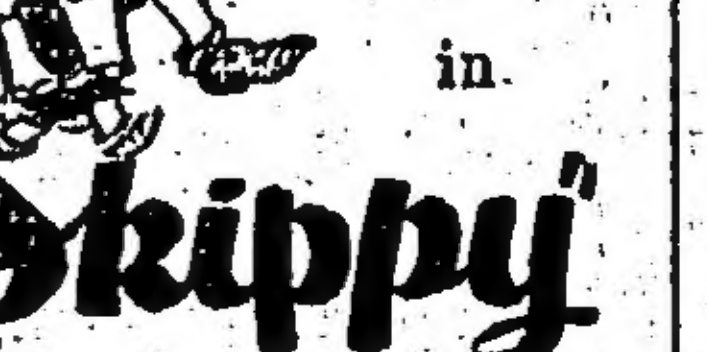
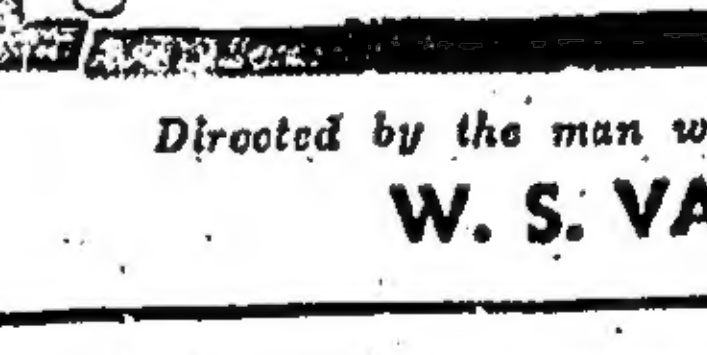
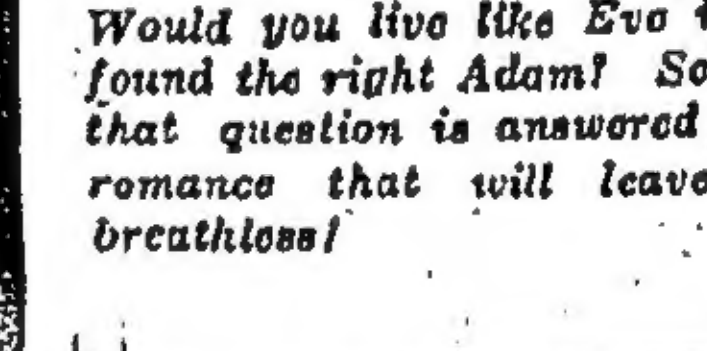
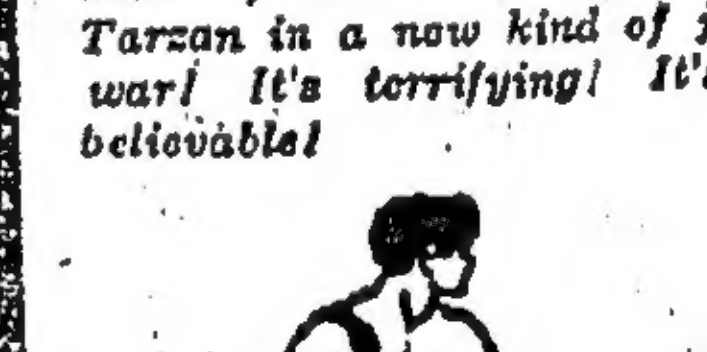
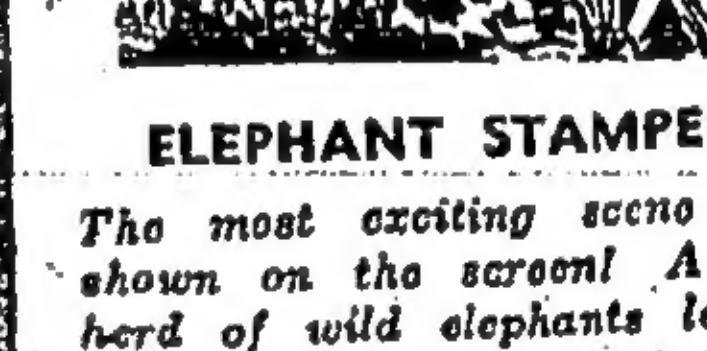
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